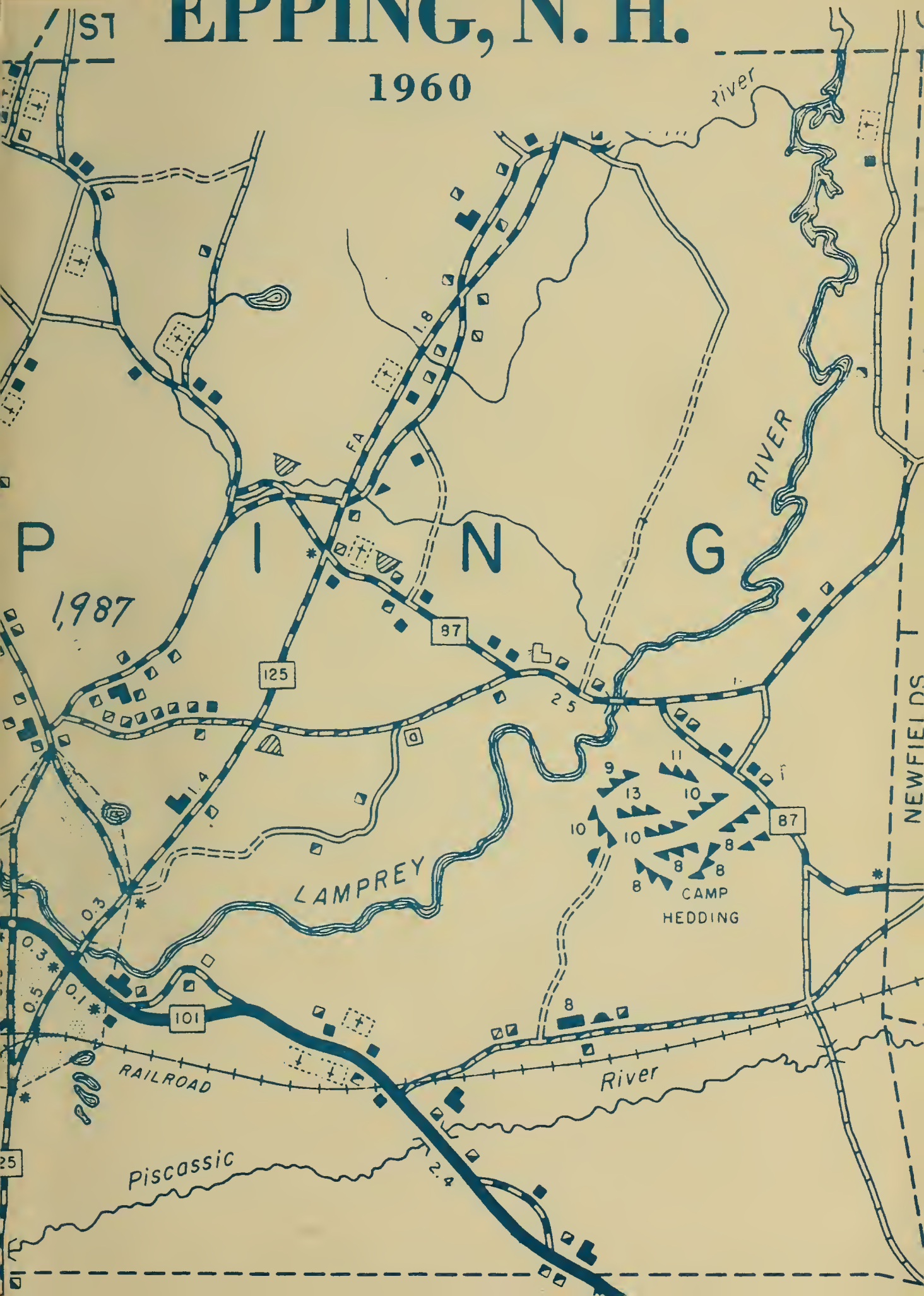



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1960





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ANNUAL REPORT
of the
TOWN of EPPING

NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the

Year Ending December 31,

1960

SELECTMEN — TREASURER

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

TOWN CLERK

HIGHWAY SUPERVISOR

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

BOARD OF HEALTH, LIBRARIAN

WATER DEPARTMENT

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

CLAUDE A. GOODRICH

Selectmen

GORDON F. RAYMOND

J. PHILIP ESTEY

PHYLLIS THAYER DOW

Town Treasurer

MAURICE PROULX

Town Clerk

BEATRICE G. MARCOTTE

Collector of Taxes

LIONEL S. FECTEAU

Auditors

WILLIAM G. MEYER

PHILIP A. MARCOTTE

Representative to the General Court

JOHN D. HACKETT

Chief of Police

EDWARD T. LAVOIE

Special Police Officers

ANDREW P. MOREL

LLOYD O. HARTFORD

ALFRED H. KREGER, JR.

EDWARD CHAPMAN

Health Officer

ANDREW P. MOREL

Judge of the Municipal Court

KENDALL CHASE

Collector of Water Department

ANDREW P. MOREL

Supervisors of the Checklist

MAY Y. JUDKINS

EDMOND St. LAURENT

GERTRUDE HACKETT

Ballot Inspectors

NELLIE E. AVERILL

ESTELLE DEARBORN

FRANCES ALLEN

LEONARD JOHNSON

Trustees of Trust Funds

MARY E. F. BLAIR

PRISCILLA J. ESTEY

MARSHA LATWIN

Librarian

IRENE HUTCHINSON

Library Trustees

LOUISE HARVEY

ANN F. DeLaBRUÈRE

Janitor of the Town Hall

ANDREW P. MOREL

Members of the Budget Committee

Term Expires 1961

OTIS GOODRICH

DANIEL HARVEY

THOMAS A. FECTEAU

Term Expires 1962

ELLIOTT BROWN

J. LUDWIN PROULX

JOHN HOAR

Term Expires 1963

R. DEXTER GOODRICH

KENDALL CHASE

DWIGHT W. BROWN

Members of the Planning Board

CURTIS GUYETTE

RICHARD SANBORN

ANDREW VALLONE

J. PHILIP ESTEY

Building Inspector

LESLIE BYRNES

Board of Adjustment

LUDWIN PROULX - 1 year
JOHN HOAR - 2 years

KENDALL CHASE - 3 years
RICHARD BREWITT - 4 years

Fire Department

RICHARD CASTLE - Chief ROMEO DESJARDIN - 1st Deputy
WALTER MOULTON - 2nd Deputy

Ford Pumper

EDDIE CASTLE - Captain HARRY FREEMAN, JR. Lieutenant

Reo Combination

ROGER GAUTHIER - Captain JOSEPH KENNEY - Lieutenant

Ford Spray

ARTHUR LaROCHE, JR. - Captain

ALFRED DESJARDIN
Lieutenant

Chevrolet Tanker

ARTHUR LaROCHE, SR. - Captain

ARTHUR AVERILL
Lieutenant

Secretary and Treasurer

ARTHUR AVERILL, JR.

Dog Officer

ANDREW P. MOREL

INVENTORY APRIL 1, 1960

Land and Buildings	\$1,776,500.00
Mill Property (Land, Buildings, Machinery)	18,230.00
Electric Plants	121,800.00
House Trailers, Used as Dwellings (11)	16,550.00
Stock in Trade	110,270.00
Boats and Launches (7)	1,550.00
Horses, Asses and Mules (24)	2,500.00
Cows (145)	14,500.00
Sheep and Goats (31)	410.00
Fowls (3500)	880.00
Gasoline Pumps	3,075.00
Portable Mills	1,800.00
Fur-bearing Animals (900)	3,000.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	<u>27,450.00</u>
Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions	\$2,098,515.00
Less: Veterans Exemptions	<u>123,775.00</u>
Net Valuations on which Tax Rate is Computed	\$1,974,740.00
Number of Inventories distributed	900
Number of Inventories returned	351
Number of Veterans who receive property exemptions	125
Number of Veterans Exempted from Poll Tax	224

Statement of Appropriations and Taxes Assessed

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,025.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00	
Election and Registration	600.00	
Municipal Court Expenses	600.00	
Town Hall Expenses	1,900.00	
Police Department	1,500.00	
Fire Department	3,000.00	
Planning and Zoning	100.00	
Insurance	250.00	
Civilian Defense	100.00	
Health Department	50.00	
Vital Statistics	250.00	
Town Dump	500.00	
Town Road Aid, Class V	841.18	
Town Maintenance, Summer	5,000.00	
Town Maintenance, Winter	3,000.00	
Street Lighting	3,300.00	
General Expenses of the Highway Department	700.00	
Libraries	600.00	
Old Age Assistance	5,500.00	
Town Poor	9,000.00	
Memorial Day	200.00	
Water Department	2,500.00	
Cemeteries	100.00	
Auto Permits	625.00	
Damages and Legal Expenses	475.00	
Regional Association Dues	50.00	
Special Appropriation Painting Water Tank	1,650.00	
Sidewalk Construction	450.00	
Payment on Debt, Long Term Notes	3,500.00	
Interest	250.00	
Interest on Temporary Loans	400.00	
Town Reports	650.00	
		\$ 51,166.18
County Tax	\$ 5,929.64	
School Tax	85,299.52	
Total Town, County and School Appropriation		\$142,395.34
LESS ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS		
Interest on Taxes	\$ 500.00	
Interest and Dividend Tax	765.44	
Railroad Tax	121.43	

Savings Bank Tax	66.84	
Dog Licenses	300.00	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	900.00	
Fines and Forfeits - Municipal Court	1,000.00	
Rent of Town Property and Equipment	20.00	
Water and Electric Departments	5,700.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	<u>8,500.00</u>	
		\$ 17,873.71
Plus Overlay		<u>1,410.99</u>
Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation		\$125,932.62
Less:		
690 Poll Taxes	\$ 1,380.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	<u>144.00</u>	
		<u>1,524.00</u>
Amount to be Raised by Taxation		\$124,408.62

TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

Property Taxes	\$124,408.62	
Poll Taxes	1,380.00	
National Bank Stock	<u>144.00</u>	
Total Taxes to be Committed		\$125,032.62

TAX RATE

Tax Rate - \$6.30

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and records of the Selectmen of the Town of Epping; the Town Treasurer; Town Clerk; Collector for the Water Department; Trustees of the Epping Public Library, and the Judge of the Municipal Court, and have found same to be correct and in order.

WILLIAM G. MEYER
PHILIP A. MARCOTTE
Auditors
Town of Epping

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall	\$ 60,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
Police Department Equipment	200.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	20,000.00
Trucks and Other Equipment	10,900.00
Highway Department, Equipment and Supplies	500.00
Water Department	85,000.00
Swain Land, West Epping	100.00
Gravel Pit, West Epping	150.00
Worcester Land, West Epping	200.00
Town Dump Site	200.00
Mary Sanborn Land, Sand Pit near Dump	200.00
Arthur Croteau Property	450.00
George A. Eaton Property	50.00
John Hartford Property	200.00
W. Epping Dam Site and Water Rights	2,000.00
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	\$182,150.00

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT TOWN OF EPPING, DEC. 31, 1960

Maturities	New Water System (Notes) 2% Original Amt. \$26,000.00	Fire Truck (notes) 2-1/2% Original Amt. \$10,000.00	W. Epping Dam Area (Notes) 3% Original Amt. \$2,000.00	Total Annual Maturities
1961	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 3,500.00
1962	2,000.00	1,000.00	500.00	3,500.00
1963	2,000.00	1,000.00		3,000.00
1964	-----	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00
	\$6,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$11,000.00

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Cash in Bank, December 31, 1960	\$23,983.90
Cash on Hand:	
Town Clerk (Dog Tax)	.50
Judge of Municipal Court	111.06
Uncollected Water Bills	415.79
Unpaid Property Owners' Share	
Main Street Sidewalk Project	184.27
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1959	3,597.12
Levy of 1958	1,799.57
Previous Years	1,846.77
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1960	42,381.29
Levy of 1959	601.70
Levy of 1958 and Previous Years	3,612.69
State Head Taxes, Levy of 1960	2,065.00
State Head Taxes, Previous Years	460.00
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	\$81,059.66

LIABILITIES

Due to State:	
Head Taxes	\$ 2,790.00
Yield Tax - Bond & Debt Retirement	217.50
Due to School District	64,799.52
Outstanding Temporary Loans:	
Epping School District	733.50
Long Term Notes:	
New Water System	6,000.00
New Fire Truck	4,000.00
West Epping Dam Note	1,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$79,540.52
Total Assets	81,059.66
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	\$ 1,519.14

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	1960	Receipts and Appropriation Reimb.	Added Approp. Approved by Tax Com.	Total Amount Available	Total Expendi- tures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers Salaries	\$ 2,025.00	\$	\$	\$ 2,025.00	\$ 2,060.00	\$	\$ 35.00
Town Officers Expenses	1,500.00			1,500.00	870.70	629.30	
Election & Registration	600.00			600.00	662.31		62.31
Municipal Court Expenses	600.00			600.00	600.00		
Town Hall & Other Town							
Buildings	1,900.00		700.00	2,600.00	2,544.01	55.99	
Police Department	1,500.00	225.00		1,725.00	1,854.80		129.80
Fire Department Including							
Forest Fires	3,000.00		400.00	3,400.00	3,396.51	3.49	
Planning and Zoning	100.00			100.00	51.00	49.00	
Insurance	250.00			250.00	183.10	66.90	
Civilian Defense	100.00			100.00	100.94		.94
Health Department	50.00			50.00	35.00	15.00	
Vital Statistics	250.00			250.00	151.00	99.00	
Town Dump	500.00			500.00	500.00		
Town Maintenance:							
Summer	5,000.00			5,000.00	6,307.77		1,307.77
Winter	3,000.00		2,355.00	5,355.00	4,676.80	678.20	
Street Lighting	3,300.00			3,300.00	3,061.66	238.34	
General Expenses of							
Highway Department	700.00			700.00	669.20	30.80	
Libraries	600.00			600.00	600.00		
Old Age Assistance	5,500.00	54.00		5,554.00	6,290.73		736.73
Town Poor - Special De-							
ficiency Appropriation	5,000.00	200.00		5,200.00	4,674.75	525.25	
Town Poor	4,000.00	3,848.54		7,848.54	7,848.54	1,319.81	
Memorial Day Expenses	200.00			200.00	200.00		
Town Reports	650.00			650.00	500.40	149.60	
Water Utilities	2,500.00			2,500.00	2,586.36		86.36
Cemeteries	100.00			100.00	100.00		
Auto Permit Fees	625.00			625.00	683.50		58.50
Damage & Legal Expenses							
(Including Dogs)	475.00			475.00	406.51	68.49	
Advertising and Regional							
Associations	50.00			50.00	50.00		
Class V Roads	841.18			841.18	841.18		
Sidewalk Construction	450.00			450.00		450.00	
Painting Water Tank	1,650.00			1,650.00	1,651.67		1.67
Payment on Debt	3,500.00			3,500.00	3,500.00		
Interest on Long Term							
Notes	250.00			250.00	350.54		100.54
Interest on Temporary							
Loans	400.00		280.00	680.00	728.52		46.52
County Tax	5,929.64			5,929.64	5,929.64		
Bounties					1.50		1.50
Duncan Fund Project		913.89		913.89	887.41	26.48	
Christmas Lights					169.88		169.88
Totals	\$57,095.82	\$5,241.43	\$3,735.00	\$66,072.25	\$64,404.12	\$4,405.65	\$2,737.52
						<u>2,737.52</u>	
						\$1,668.13	

Net Unexpended Amount of Appropriation

VETERANS' EXEMPTION

"No person shall be entitled to the exemption provided by Section 29 unless he shall have filed with the selectmen on or before April fifteenth of each year an application therefor signed under penalty of perjury on a form which may be obtained from the selectmen"

Printed above is a portion of the law governing property tax exemptions to servicemen or widows of servicemen which must be followed if exemption is to be allowed in 1961. The Exemption Law has also been revised so that only Residential Real Estate as defined below can be exempted from Taxation.

"Residential Real Estate; That Real Estate that a person occupies as his principal place of abode together with any land or buildings appurtenant thereto. Provided further that the resident qualified for exemption, excepting those with service connected disability shall not be delinquent in the payment of any taxes due the State of N. H. or any political subdivision thereof."

TOWN CLERK'S FINANCIAL REPORT

DEBIT

Received from Auto Permits	\$9,530.10	
Received from Dog Licenses	228.50	
Received for Filing Fees	<u>19.00</u>	
		\$9,777.60

CREDIT

Paid to Treasurer:		
Auto Permits	\$9,530.10	
Dog Licenses	228.00	
Filing Fees	19.00	
Cash on hand December 31, 1960	<u>.50</u>	
		\$9,777.60

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1960

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$124,408.51
Poll Taxes	<u>1,518.00</u>

\$125,926.51

Added Taxes:

Yield Taxes	1,473.13
Property Taxes	1,478.97
Poll Taxes	14.00
Interest	<u>2.23</u>

\$128,894.84

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$ 84,025.00
Poll Taxes	852.00
Interest	<u>2.23</u>

\$ 84,879.23

Abatements:

Property Taxes	1,592.32
Poll Taxes	42.00

Uncollected as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	40,270.16
Poll Taxes	638.00
Yield Taxes	<u>1,473.13</u>

\$128,894.84

Summary of Uncollected, Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1960:

Property Taxes	\$29,999.90
Poll Taxes	598.00
Yield Taxes	<u>1,650.08</u>

\$ 32,247.98

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	410.00
Poll Taxes	58.00
Yield Taxes	8.73

Interest Collected During Fiscal
Year on property taxes ending
Sept. 29, 1960 plus interest on
Yield Taxes

445.77

Interest Bought by Town

156.52

\$ 33,327.00

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:

Property Taxes as of Sept.

29, 1960

\$26,134.16

Poll Taxes

452.00

Yield Taxes

1,235.23

Interest on Property & Yield

445.77

Property Taxes Bought by Town

3,896.49

Interest Bought by Town

156.52

\$ 32,320.17

Abatements:

Property Taxes

344.40

Yield Taxes

8.73

Poll Taxes

52.00

Uncollected:

Property Taxes

34.85

Yield Taxes

414.85

Poll Taxes

152.00

\$ 33,327.00

Levy of 1958 & Previous Years

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1960:

Property Taxes

\$ 131.20

Poll Taxes

516.00

Yield Taxes

3,220.49

\$ 3,867.69

Added Taxes,

Interest

3.83

\$ 3,871.52

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:

Poll Taxes

\$ 54.00

Yield Taxes

69.80

Interest	<u>3.83</u>	
		\$ 127.63
Abatements:		
Property Taxes		131.20
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:		
Poll Taxes		462.00
Yield Taxes		<u>3,150.69</u>
		\$ 3,871.52

State Head Taxes, Levy of 1960

Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Original Warrant	\$ 4,925.00	
Added Taxes	65.00	
Penalties	<u>37.00</u>	
		\$ 5,027.00

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$ 2,790.00	
Penalties	<u>37.00</u>	
		\$ 2,827.00
Abatements		135.00
Uncollected		<u>2,065.00</u>
		\$ 5,027.00

State Head Taxes, Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:	\$ 1,970.00	
Added Taxes	165.00	
Penalties	<u>151.50</u>	
		\$ 2,286.50

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$ 1,540.00	

Penalties	<u>151.50</u>	
		\$ 1,691.50
Abatements		135.00
Uncollected		<u>460.00</u>
		\$ 2,286.50

State Head Taxes

Levy of 1958 and Previous Years

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1960:

Head Taxes \$ 1,430.00

Added Taxes:

Penalties 19.00

\$ 1,449.00

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer:

Head Taxes \$ 190.00

Penalties 19.00

\$ 209.00

Uncollected as per Collector's

List: 1,240.00

\$ 1,449.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of January 1, 1960

	Dr.		
	1959	1958	Previous Years
Property Taxes & Interest Sold During Current Fiscal Year	\$4,053.01	\$	\$
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes as of January 1, 1960		3,088.18	2,421.43
Interest Collected After Sale	8.60	92.89	84.39
Costs and Fines	<u>224.20</u>		
	\$4,285.81	\$3,181.07	\$2,505.82
Cr.			
Remittance to Treasurer During Year	\$ 688.69	\$1,381.50	\$ 659.05
Unredeemed Taxes at Close of Year Dec. 31, 1960	<u>3,597.12</u>	<u>1,799.57</u>	<u>1,846.77</u>
	\$4,285.81	\$3,181.07	\$2,505.82

UNREDEEMED TAXES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1960

	1959	1958	Previous Years
1. Bemis, Gardner & Sylvia	\$ 63.48	\$	\$
2. Bernardini, Clarence & Carol	89.08		
3. Blair, Mrs. Harold R.	16.58		
4. Boardman, Loren	20.88		
5. Bourdon, Arthur	37.92		
6. Brooks, Emile & Goldie	131.72	21.95	15.94
7. Brown, Albert C.	46.48		
8. Brown, Joseph	127.46	135.48	91.68
9. Butterfield, Louise M.			60.94
10. Chapman, Edward & Geneva	93.34	90.08	
11. Charest, Alfred	161.58	171.83	
12. Clark, Ralph J.	12.32		
13. Cleaves, R. E. & Sons		149.05	
14. Clough, Celia	12.32	12.90	
15. Clough, Charles F.	80.56	85.55	
16. Comeau, Thomas	33.66	35.58	40.42
17. Cono, Benjamin Hrs.	67.00		
18. Currier, Virginia	46.44		
19. Davis, Clyde	8.06	8.33	14.18
20. Dearborn, Clyde			10.92
21. Dearborn, W. H.			21.97
22. Dember, Charles		31.05	
23. Denyou, Earl P.			77.06
24. Desjardins, Arlene		58.30	
25. St. John, Oscar		12.90	
26. Desroches, Louis			44.81
27. Dionne, Stanley	157.88		
28. Edgerly, Louis & Bessie	217.00		
29. Elliott, Herbert & Lora	110.42		
30. Elliott, Warren	20.84		
31. Fischer, Dorothy	16.58	17.43	12.91
32. Foss, Fred S. Est.	8.06	8.33	69.37
33. Freeman, Morton & Rita	29.40		
34. Garvin, Orville B.	84.82	82.07	359.03
35. Gilman, Warren E. Jr.	12.32	40.15	58.34
36. Glidden, Lucien & Leota	20.84		
37. Gordon, Laura		12.90	
38. Greeley, Jacob			72.39
39. Grimard, Leo		13.30	
40. Haley, Buddy	55.90		
41. Haley, Byron	46.44		
42. Harmon, Alfred	29.40	31.05	30.05
43. Hart, Lople, Mary, Grace	106.12	94.65	
44. Hartford, Arthur	29.40	31.05	107.33
45. Hartford, Horace	29.40	31.05	134.52
46. Hartford, Joseph	20.88	21.95	30.39

47. Hitchcock, Wade			109.30
48. Home Loan Co., Inc.			100.79
49. Homaker, Moody	8.06	8.33	
50. Hood, Regina, Holman	8.06		
51. Jackson, John M.	97.60		
52. LaRue, Omer J. & Emile			61.35
53. Lavoie, Wilfred J.	44.96		
54. Leddy Bros.	587.98		
55. Leddy, James A.	12.32		
56. McGonagle, Lou		3.80	6.64
57. McKenzie, James W.		8.33	
58. Marcotte, Lilla		58.30	86.63
59. Morrison, Harold & Elsie	54.96	38.30	32.22
60. Nash, Daniel O. & Ruth			34.41
61. Nash, Raymond			15.94
62. Nichols, Leon & Doris	157.32		
63. Paige, Chas. & Ardys	8.06		6.84
64. Porter, Edith L.	29.40	31.05	
65. Porter, John Jr.	89.08	94.65	
66. Porter, Miriam		19.12	
67. Ricker, May			18.08
68. Smith, John & Joanne		112.80	
69. Soto, Rose M.		58.30	
70. Spaulding, Ellen	50.70	53.78	
71. St. John, John & Delvina	45.96		
72. Sullivan, James & Vivian			8.74
73. Thibeault, Louis	48.16		
74. Tuttle, Lester O.	16.58	17.43	
75. Vogue, Hazel	54.96	58.30	79.51
76. Whooley, John J.	37.92	40.15	
77. Young, Wilfred & Iola	199.96		
78. Downing, Herbert			34.07

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1960	\$ 18,049.02
State Treasurer:	
Railroad Tax	121.43
Forest Fire Refunds	30.54
Gas Tax Refunds	20.01
Town Poor Refunds	120.04
T. R. A. Refund	2.43
Duncan Fund	913.89
Interest and Dividends Tax	822.92
Savings Bank Tax	66.84
Reimbursement Head Tax Expense	28.00
Reimbursement Old Age Assistance	54.00
J. Philip Estey, Treasurer, School District Loan	40,937.15
Kendall Chase, Judge Municipal Court	993.00
Andrew P. Morel, Water Department Collections	7,011.07
Andrew P. Morel, Rent of Town Hall	30.00
Shelter-All Corp., School Shelters	24.00
Mrs. Oscar Dionne, Telephone Refund	.25
Citizens National Bank, Bank Stock Tax	144.00
Edward T. Lavoie, Pistol Permits	14.00
Edward T. Lavoie, Sale of Police Radio	225.00
L. W. Caraway, Refund	1.50
Merchants Mutual Insurance Co., Ins. Claim	10.00
Edmond G. Blair, Insurance Refund	96.50
Exeter Banking Company, Temporary Loans	50,000.00
Gordon F. Raymond, Telephone Refund	1.30
Alfred Kreger, Jr., Damages Refund	7.90
Edson C. Eastman Co., Refund, Duplicate Payment	6.75
United States Treasurer, Refund, Town Poor	175.00
Thomas Landry, Refund, Town Poor	200.00
Ralph Wilson, Refund, Town Poor	2.00
Frank Holt Estate, Refund, Town Poor	364.00
Ellen Fisher, Refund, Town Poor	858.00
Bradley Ladd, Refund, Town Poor	930.00
Leonard C. Johnson, Refund, Town Poor	871.00
Jean Cobbett, Refund, Town Poor	528.50
Paul Ladd, Clerk, Auto Permits	2,473.62
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Clerk, Auto Permits	7,056.48
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Clerk, Dog Taxes	228.00
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Filing Fees	19.00
Lionel S. Fecteau, Tax Collector:	
1960 Poll Taxes	852.00
1959 Poll Taxes	452.00
1958 Poll Taxes	28.00
1957 Poll Taxes	14.00
1956 Poll Taxes	6.00
1955 Poll Taxes	4.00
1953 Poll Taxes	2.00

1960 Property Taxes	84,025.00
1959 Property Taxes	30,030.65
1960 Interest	2.23
1959 Interest	602.29
1958 Interest	3.83
1960 Head Taxes	2,790.00
1959 Head Taxes	1,540.00
1958 Head Taxes	95.00
1957 Head Taxes	35.00
1956 Head Taxes	25.00
1955 Head Taxes	10.00
1954 Head Taxes	5.00
1953 Head Taxes	15.00
1952 Head Taxes	5.00
1960 Head Tax Penalties	37.00
1959 Head Tax Penalties	151.50
1958 Head Tax Penalties	9.50
1957 Head Tax Penalties	3.50
1956 Head Tax Penalties	1.00
1954 Head Tax Penalties	.50
1953 Head Tax Penalties	1.50
1952 Head Tax Penalties	.50
1959 Taxes Redeemed	688.69
1958 Taxes Redeemed	1,381.50
1957 Taxes Redeemed	579.05
1956 Taxes Redeemed	30.00
1949 Taxes Redeemed	26.73
1948 Taxes Redeemed	23.27
1959 Yield Taxes	1,235.23
1958 Yield Taxes	69.80
Total Receipts	<u>\$ 258,220.91</u>
Paid on Selectmen's Orders	<u>234,237.01</u>
Balance, December 31, 1960	\$ 23,983.90

MAURICE J. PROULX
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries	\$2,060.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,371.10
Election and Registration	662.31
Municipal Court	600.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	<u>2,544.01</u>

\$ 7,237.42

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department	\$1,854.80
Fire Department	3,396.51
Bounties	1.50
Insurance (Workmen's Compensation)	183.10
Civil Defense	<u>100.94</u>

\$ 5,536.85

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Officer	\$ 35.00
Vital Statistics	151.00
Town Dump	<u>500.00</u>

\$ 686.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Summer Maintenance	\$6,307.77
Winter Maintenance	4,676.80
Class V Highways	841.18
Street Lighting	3,061.66
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	<u>669.20</u>

\$15,556.61

LIBRARIES

Epping Public Library Appropriation	\$ 600.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance	\$6,290.73
Town Poor	6,528.73
Town Poor - Deficiency Approp.	<u>4,674.75</u>

\$17,494.21

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day Expense	\$ 200.00
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PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

Epping Water Department	\$2,586.36	
Cemeteries	<u>100.00</u>	
		\$ 2,686.36

NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS

Duncan Fund Money - Dump Road	\$ 887.41	
Painting Water Tank	<u>1,651.67</u>	
		\$ 2,539.08

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS

Temporary Loans	\$90,203.65	
Bonds and Notes	<u>3,500.00</u>	
		\$93,703.65

UNCLASSIFIED

New Hampshire Electric - Christmas Lights	\$ 169.88	
Planning and Zoning Expenses	51.00	
Auto Permit Fees	683.50	
Damages and Legal Expenses, Including Dog Damage	406.51	
Seacoast Regional Development Association	50.00	
Advertising and Selling Taxes	177.50	
Taxes Bought by the Town	4,053.01	
Head Tax Fees, Tax Collector	134.10	
Discounts, Abatements, Refunds	288.90	
Interest	<u>1,077.06</u>	
		\$ 7,091.46

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENT DIVISIONS

County Tax	\$5,929.64	
State of New Hampshire - Yield Taxes	661.42	
State of New Hampshire - 1959 Head Taxes	2,898.31	
State of New Hampshire - 1960 Head Taxes	<u>216.00</u>	
		\$ 9,705.37

EPHING SCHOOL DISTRICT

1959 - 1960 School Year	\$50,700.00	
1960 - 1961 School Year	<u>20,500.00</u>	
		<u>\$71,200.00</u>
Total Payments		\$234,237.01

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Gordon F. Raymond, Chairman S Selectman	\$ 450.00	
J. Philip Estey, Selectman	275.00	
Phyllis Thayer Dow, Selectman	275.00	
Maurice Proulx, Treasurer	200.00	
Lionel S. Fecteau, Tax Collector	450.00	
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Town Clerk	200.00	
Paul Ladd, Town Clerk	35.00	
Phyllis Thayer Dow, Auditor	50.00	
Leonard C. Johnson, Auditor	50.00	
Mary E. F. Blair, Treasurer, Trust Fund	<u>75.00</u>	
		\$ 2,060.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Edmond G. Blair, Town Officers' Bonds	\$ 212.54	
Hampton Publishing Co., Town Reports	500.40	
John W. A. Green, Register of Deeds, Property Transfers	29.60	
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	7.85	
Association of N. H. Assessors, Dues	3.00	
State of N. H., Assessors' Book and Tax Law Book	5.50	
Joe Wigon, Town Clerk Supplies	15.60	
Edson C. Eastman, Misc. Supplies	62.74	
Wheeler & Clark, Town Officers' Supplies	6.89	
Town Clerk Association, Dues	3.00	
Branham Publishing Co., Town Clerk Supplies	7.35	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Tax Collector's Supplies	4.33	

Mosler Safe Co., Repairing Selectmen's Safe	15.00
Burroughs Corp., Repairing Adding Machine	12.40
Edmond G. Blair, Printing	53.25
Gordon F. Raymond, Municipal Affairs Meeting	15.00
Gordon F. Raymond, 3 Trips to Concord, Supplies and Postage	22.50
George E. Moquin, Postage and P. O. Box Rent	21.31
George E. Moquin, Assessors' School	12.00
J. Philip Estey, Assessors' School	12.00
J. Philip Estey, Postage and P. O. Box Rent	14.37
J. Philip Estey, Writing Head and Poll Tax Books	15.00
Phyllis T. Dow, Postage for Inventories	15.00
Phyllis T. Dow, Writing Head and Poll Tax Books	15.00
Lionel S. Fecteau, Tax Collector's Expenses	190.87
Maurice Proulx, Treasurer's Expenses	47.50
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Town Clerk's Association Meeting	33.00
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Town Clerk's Expenses	15.10

\$ 1,371.10

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Gordon F. Raymond, Moderator	\$ 60.00
Edmond St. Laurent, Supervisor of Check List	90.00
Mae Y. Judkins, Supervisor of Check List	90.00
Rose Morel, Supervisor of Check List	90.00
Mae Y. Judkins, Expenses	1.56
Phyllis T. Dow, Town Clerk Pro Tem.	20.00
Estelle Dearborn, Ballot Clerk	30.00
Frances Allen, Ballot Clerk	30.00
Leonard C. Johnson, Ballot Clerk	20.00
Nellie Averill, Ballot Clerk	20.00
Olivia Hartford, Ballot Clerk	10.00
H. R. Wyeth, Ballot Clerk	10.00
Ladies Aid Society, Election Day Meals	90.00
Exeter News Letter, Printing Ballots	24.00
Edson C. Eastman, Tally Sheets	3.75
Edward T. Lavois, Police Duty	20.00
Andrew P. Morel, Police Duty	13.00
Alfred Kreger, Jr., Police Duty	20.00
Edward Chapman, Police Duty	10.00

Walter Moulton, Police Duty	<u>10.00</u>
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\$ 662.31

MUNICIPAL COURT

Judge Kendall Chase, Salary	
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\$ 600.00

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	\$ 100.30
N. H. Electric Co., Electric Service	220.81
Joseph A. Proulx, Fuel Oil	715.87
Andrew P. Morel, Janitor Service	324.73
Andrew P. Morel, Painting Interior	45.00
Epping Water Department	20.00
Edmond G. Blair, Insurance on Boiler	161.00
Charles A. Beers, Jr., Plastering Ceilings	55.00
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Supplies	8.03
Daniel Sundeen, Inc., Supplies	9.97
O'Barton's Variety Store, Supplies	49.50
Modern Paint & Wallpaper Co., Supplies	28.10
Fecteau's Market, Supplies	23.19
Pikey's Esso Station, Plowing Parking Lot	16.00
Demers Plate Glass Co., Supplies	26.60
Epping Public Service, Emergency Light Battery	26.10
Melvin Becker, Labor	8.00
Edward T. Lavois, Rewiring Town Hall	<u>705.81</u>

\$ 2,544.01

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Edward T. Lavoie, Chief	\$1,100.38
Andrew P. Morel, Special Officer	179.50
Harry Castle, Special Officer	52.30
Robert Denyou, Special Officer	95.00
Edward Chapman, Special Officer	43.25
Alfred Kreger, Jr., Special Officer	32.50
N. H. Distributing Agency, Supplies	7.50
Eastern Fire Equipment, Inc., Supplies	59.62
Smith's Press, Police Cards	6.00
State of N. H., Police Radio	<u>278.75</u>

\$ 1,854.80

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Rose G. Morel, Sounding Siren	\$ 336.00
N. H. Electric Co., Electric Service	85.99
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	245.88
Joseph A. Proulx, Fuel Oil	371.14
Edmond G. Blair, Agent, Group Ins.	148.75
Edmond G. Blair, Agent, Ins. on Fire Station	126.00
Edmond G. Blair, Agent, Ins. on Ford Truck	92.00
Edmond G. Blair, Agent, Ins. on Chev. Truck	80.50
Arthur G. MacFarlane, Ins. on 2 Trucks	161.00
C. N. Armstrong, Repairs to Boiler	14.70
N. H. Distributing Agency, Supplies	64.45
Russell Uniform Co., Supplies	45.65
Eastern Fire Equipment Co., Supplies	101.78
N. H. Ring and Sons, Supplies	27.48
American Fire Equipment Co., Supplies	61.04
Harodiker Inc., Supplies	28.00
N. H. Firemen's Assoc., Ins. on Firemen	36.00
Phelps Photo, Maps	3.00
Arthur Averill, Jr., Treasurer, Compensation for Firemen	300.00
Manchester Oxygen Co., Extinguisher Refills	16.25
Griswold's Radiator Shop, Repairs	36.00
Arthur Averill, Jr., Treas. Mutual Aid Assoc. Dues	2.00
Albion, Cross, Repairs	17.60
Rowley Printing Co., Printing	4.50
Epping Garage, Repairs and Supplies	80.50
Epping Flying "A", Repairs and Supplies	14.82
Arthur Bourdon, Labor and Supplies	98.44
Daniel A. Sundeen, Inc., Supplies	32.84
O'Barton's Variety Store, Supplies	51.29
Brown's Express, Express	7.50
Pikey's Esso Station, Repairs and Supplies	45.97
Don's Esso Station, Repairs and Supplies	118.32
Ken's Cities Service Station, Repairs and Supplies	369.59
Waterhouse Garage, Welding	2.00
Epping Water Department	20.00
Lawrence W. Caraway, Use of Truck	10.00
Lawrence W. Caraway, Plowing Snow	8.00
Lawrence W. Caraway, Fire Warden, Forest Fires	77.13
Richard Castle, Shovelling Snow from Hydrants	27.00

Richard Castle, Winterizing Hydrants	10.00
Arthur LaRoche, Sr., Shovelling Snow from Hydrants	4.00
Romeo Desjardin, Labor	<u>13.50</u>

\$ 3,396.51

CIVIL DEFENSE

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	\$ 100.94
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BOUNTIES

Paul Stevens, 3 Hedgehog Heads	\$ 1.50
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INSURANCE

Edmond G. Blair, Agent, Workmen's Comp.	\$ 183.10
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HEALTH & SANITATION

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Edward T. Lavoie, Health Officer	\$ 25.00
Andrew P. Morel, Health Officer	<u>10.00</u>

\$ 35.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Rose G. Morel, Copying Vital Statistics for 1959	\$ 10.00
Paul Ladd, 1959 Vital Statistics	110.00
Frank B. Nay, Deceased List	.50
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Vital Statistics	<u>30.50</u>

\$ 151.00

TOWN DUMP

Mahlon E. Burt, General Care of the Dump	\$ 500.00
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

SUMMER MAINTENANCE

William G. Parker, Truck and Labor	\$1,640.87
Lloyd Jennings, Labor	213.76
Joseph Hartford, Labor	351.88
Frederick Johnson, Labor	7.50
Donald Robertson, Labor	147.50
Michael Hill, Labor	106.25
Wayne Hartford, Labor	21.25
Charles Allen, Labor	2.50

Bessie Manter, Labor	10.00
Charles Glover, Cutting Bushes	46.25
Joseph A. Proulx, Supplies	8.35
Melvin Becker, Culvert at Jaspers'	12.00
Melvin Becker, Backhoe on Mast Road	48.00
Otis Goodrich, Hauling and Loading	
Gravel	63.95
Otis Goodrich, Gravel	216.00
Robert Proulx, Gravel	35.25
Daniel W. Harvey, Trucking Gravel	118.80
Albert Warren, Scraping Roads	1,007.99
Albert Warren, Ditching Roads	54.00
Daniel A. Sundeen, Inc., Supplies	1.84
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange,	
Supplies	47.30
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Culverts	273.28
Granite State Asphalt Co., Cold Patch	619.26
Iafolla Crushed Stone Co., Cold Patch	39.30
Epping Garage, Repairs and Supplies	60.84

\$ 5,133.92

Tarring Roads:

William G. Parker, Truck and Labor	\$ 100.00
Joseph Hartford, Labor	31.25
Wayne Hartford, Labor	31.25
Otis Goodrich, Trucking and Loading	
Sand	233.40
Trimount Bituminous Products,	
Asphalt	757.95

1,153.85

\$ 6,307.77

WINTER MAINTENANCE

William G. Parker, Truck and Labor	\$2,842.75
Joseph Hartford, Labor	338.49
Donald Robertson, Labor	101.00
Wayne Hartford, Labor	225.75
Michael Hill, Labor	64.37
Frederick Johnson, Labor	24.97
Lloyd Jennings, Labor	106.50
Edward Castle, Labor	11.88
Otis Goodrich, Plowing and Snow	
Removal	307.55
Joseph Gauthier, Plowing	168.00
Fred Coffin, Jr., Plowing	174.00
Mahlon E. Burt, Plowing	175.00
Alden Crocker, Plowing	11.25
Lawrence Caraway, Plowing	14.25
Pikey's Esso Station, Plowing	16.00

Rila Concrete Products, Inc., Labor on Catch Basin	25.00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Supplies	4.77	
Granite State Asphalt Products, Cold Patch	<u>65.27</u>	
		\$ 4,676.80

CLASS V ROADS

State of N. H., 1960 Appropriation	\$ 841.18
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STREET LIGHTING

N. H. Electric Co., Street Lighting	\$ 3,061.66
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GENERAL EXPENSES OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Salt	\$ 500.62	
N. H. Electric Co., Blinker	90.02	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Supplies	3.11	
Epping Garage, Supplies	7.91	
Brown's Machine Shop, Sand and Salt Device	48.00	
William G. Parker, Express Charges	2.42	
Ray Road Equipment, Supplies	<u>17.12</u>	
		\$ 669.20

LIBRARIES

Louise Harvey, Treasurer, 1960 Appropriation	\$ 600.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of N. H., Department of Public Welfare	\$ 6,290.73
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TOWN POOR

Rockingham County Home & Hospital, Board and Care	\$6,027.00
Rockingham County Home & Hospital Surplus Commodities Supplies	3.48
Exeter Hospital, Board and Care	18.00
Brewitt Funeral Service, Ambulance Service	20.00
Ruby Cotrell, Rent	13.50
Champagne's Market, Groceries	10.00

Wilfred Guerrin, Medicine	4.80
Grant's Pharmacy, Medicine	4.80
Cool's Medical Supply, Medical Supplies	10.95
Robert Boisse, Groceries	22.00
Dick's Country Store, Groceries	65.56
Epping Trading Center, Groceries	31.00
Joseph A. Proulx, Fuel Oils	21.68
Fecteau Market, Groceries	45.00
The Great A. & P. Tea Co., Groceries	10.00
Silver Street Grocery Co., Groceries	25.00
Bob's Restaurant, Groceries	9.98
Beede's Market, Groceries	5.00
Robbins Realty, Rent	45.00
C. M. Ackerson Oil Co., Fuel Oil	24.50
Public Service Co. of N. H., Electric Service	20.00
Newsky's Grocery, Groceries	85.00
Leddy Bros., Groceries	6.48

\$ 6,528.73

TOWN POOR, SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Rockingham County Home & Hospital, Board & Care	\$3,058.00
The Exeter Hospital, Board and Care	<u>1,616.75</u>

\$ 4,674.75

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

MEMORIAL DAY

Richard A. Mitchell Post American Legion, Memorial Day Appropriation	\$ 200.00
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PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

WATER DEPARTMENT

N. H. Electric Co., Electric Service	\$ 849.86
Andrew P. Morel, Salary	125.00
Andrew P. Morel, Labor, Stamps, Expenses	129.91
Joseph A. Proulx, Fuel Oil	70.50
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Supplies	9.75
Newfields Construction Co., Gravel	8.40
American Railway Express Co., Express	4.69
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	10.50
William G. Parker, Work on Water Main	52.88
Joseph Hartford, Labor	22.50

Wayne Hartford, Labor	2.50
Melvin Becker, Salary	650.00
Melvin Becker, Water Leak, Main St.	178.79
Melvin Becker, Labor and Expenses	146.60
Manchester Oxygen Co., Supplies	7.29
H. R. Prescott & Sons, Supplies	206.69
Edmond G. Blair, Printing	10.50
Gordon F. Raymond, Chairman, Salary	50.00
J. Philip Estey, Salary	25.00
Phyllis T. Dow, Salary	25.00

\$ 2,586.36

CEMETERIES

Charles Sanborn, Care of Prescott Cemetery \$ 100.00

NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS

DUNCAN FUND MONEY, (DUMP ROAD)

William G. Parker, Truck and Labor	\$ 116.85
Michael Hill, Labor	19.38
Charles Allen, Labor	8.75
Joseph LeClair, Labor	63.55
Robert G. Wendell, Labor	34.85
Homer Johnson, Sweeping	20.00
Carl Stilson, Labor	6.25
Donald Robertson, Labor	16.25
Ernest Cardinal, Labor	139.50
Samuel Cardinal, Labor	170.93
Raymond Cardinal, Labor	39.95
Carroll Cardinal, Labor	39.95
Edward Cahill, Jr., Labor	39.95
Joseph Hartford, Labor	16.25
Otis Goodrich, Trucking	155.00

\$ 887.41

PAINTING WATER TANK

Epping Flying "A", Gas	\$ 49.17
Donald R. Hall, Painting Tank,	
Labor and Supplies	1,500.00
Melvin Becker, Labor and Supplies	102.50

\$ 1,651.67

UNCLASSIFIED

N. H. Electric Co., Christmas Lights \$ 169.88

PLANNING AND ZONING

The Exeter News Letter, Printing	\$ 37.00
Portsmouth Herald, Advertising	10.00
Edmond G. Blair, Printing	<u>4.00</u>

\$ 51.00

AUTO PERMIT FEES

Paul Ladd, Auto Permit Fees	\$ 193.50
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Auto Permit Fees	<u>490.00</u>

\$ 683.50

DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES (Including Dogs)

Andrew P. Morel, Care and Disposal of Dogs	\$ 74.91
Beatrice G. Marcotte, Dog License Fees	14.80
Russell McGuirk, Town Council	<u>316.80</u>

\$ 406.51

Seacoast Regional Development Assoc.

\$ 50.00

TAXES BOUGHT BY THE TOWN

Lionel S. Fecteau, Advertising and Selling Property Taxes	\$ 177.50
Lionel S. Fecteau, Tax Collector, Taxes Bought by the Town	3,896.49
Lionel S. Fecteau, Tax Collector, Interest Bought by the Town	<u>156.52</u>

\$ 4,230.51

Lionel S. Fecteau, Tax Collector, Head Tax Fees	\$ 134.10
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DISCOUNTS, ABATEMENTS, REFUNDS

Wilfred Cloutier, Abatement on 1956, 1957, 1958 Taxes, Duplicate Billing	\$ 67.50
Georgia E. Chase, Rebate 1959 Taxes, Duplicate Payment	<u>221.40</u>

\$ 288.90

INTEREST

Long Term Notes:

The Exeter Banking Company	
Fire Truck Note	\$ 125.00
West Epping Dam Note	65.54
Water Works Note	<u>160.00</u>

\$ 350.54

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes:

The Exeter Banking Company	<u>726.52</u>
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\$ 1,077.06

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS

TEMPORARY LOANS

The Epping School District	\$40,203.65
The Exeter Banking Company	<u>50,000.00</u>

\$90,203.65

BONDS AND NOTES

The Exeter Banking Co., West Epping Dam Note	\$ 500.00
The Exeter Banking Co., Fire Apparatus Note	1,000.00
The Exeter Banking Co., Water Works Note	<u>2,000.00</u>

\$ 3,500.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENT DIVISIONS

Winston H. Lothrop, Treasurer, County Tax	\$5,929.64
State of N. H., Yield Taxes	661.42
State of N. H., Head Taxes and Penalties	<u>3,114.31</u>

\$ 9,705.37

EPPING SCHOOL DISTRICT

1959 - 1960 Appropriation	\$50,700.00
1960 - 1961 Appropriation	16,000.00
Deficiency Appropriation	<u>4,500.00</u>

\$71,200.00

Total Payments

\$234,237.01

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

March 31, 1960

Board of Selectmen
Epping, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the Town of Epping which was made by this Division, acting under authority of Chapter 71, Section 27, of the Revised Statutes Annotated, which provides in part as follows: SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

"Audit on Motion of Commission. The (Tax) Commission may cause an audit to be made of the accounts of any city, town, school district, village district or precinct, as often as once in two years, or whenever conditions appear to it to warrant such audit, xxxx"

This audit covered the period from September 21st, 1958, (date of the previous audit by this Division) to December 31, 1959. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report. Also included is a Statistical Table presenting a Ten Year Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Town Clerk.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures -
Estimated and Actual Revenues

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958 (Exhibits A-3 & A-4)
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959 (Exhibits E-4 & E-5)

As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit A-4), a net overdraft of appropriations of \$14,478.04, less a revenue surplus of \$5,956.98, resulted in a net budget deficit of \$8,521.06 in the fiscal year ended December 31, 1958.

In the year ended December 31, 1959, a net overdraft of appropriations of \$14,437.68, less a revenue surplus of \$5,080.78, resulted in a net budget deficit of \$9,356.90.

Summary Statements of Receipts and Expenditures:
 Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958 (Exhibit B-1)
 Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959 (Exhibit F-1)

Summary statements of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1958 and December 31, 1959, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, are included in Exhibits B-1 and F-1, respectively. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1959, is indicated in Exhibit F-2.

AUDIT PROCEDURE

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks. Verification of uncollected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records. The amounts of uncollected and unredeemed taxes as indicated in this report are therefore subject to any changes which may be necessitated by the return of verification notices.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Current Surplus:

It is noted that the current surplus (excess of total assets over current liabilities) decreased from \$26,389.53 to \$5,146.56, during the two year period from December 31, 1957 to December 31, 1959, as shown herewith:

	<u>Dec. 31, '57</u>	<u>Dec. 31, '58</u>	<u>Dec. 31, '59</u>
Total Assets	\$59,007.68	\$81,474.61	\$64,075.70
Current Liabilities	<u>32,618.15</u>	<u>66,676.16</u>	<u>58,929.14</u>
<u>Current Surplus</u>	\$26,389.53	\$14,798.45	\$ 5,146.56

Overdraft of Appropriations and Application of Municipal Budget Law:

It is noted that in each of the fiscal years ended December 31, 1958 and December 31, 1959, there were net overdrafts of appropriations amounting to \$14,478.04 and \$14,437.68, respectively. In other words - total expenditures exceeded total appropriations by these amounts as indicated herewith:

	<u>Dec. 31, 1958</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 1959</u>
Overdraft of Appropriations	\$15,566.30	\$15,804.56
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	<u>1,088.26</u>	<u>1,366.88</u>
Net Overdraft of Appropriations	\$14,478.04	\$14,437.68

In accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law, RSA Chapter 32, application should have been made to the Tax Commission by the Board of Selectmen, with the approval of the Budget Committee, for a certificate of emergency authorizing expenditures.

Chapter 32, Section II, of the RSA, further provides that "Any person or persons violating the provisions of RSA 32:10 shall be subject to removal from office on proper petition brought before the superior court."

Tax Accounts:

(Uncollected Taxes - Prior Years)

Head and Poll Taxes

As of December 31, 1959, there were uncollected poll and head taxes on the warrants of 1957 and prior years as follows:

	<u>Poll Taxes</u>	<u>Head Taxes</u>
Levy of 1957	\$132.00	\$380.00
Levy of 1956	96.00	280.00
Levy of 1955	60.00	160.00
Levy of 1954	34.00	85.00
Levy of 1953	10.00	40.00
Levy of 1952	6.00	15.00
Levy of 1951	<u>14.00</u>	
	\$352.00	\$960.00

It is recommended that these lists be examined by the Board of Selectmen and Tax Collector and such taxes thereon as appear to be uncollectable should be abated.

Yield Taxes

It is further noted that uncollected yield taxes on the warrants of 1957 and prior years were as follows:

Levy of 1957	\$ 754.06
Levy of 1956	761.23
Levy of 1955	824.78
Levy of 1954	394.61
Levy of 1953	<u>84.35</u>
	\$2,819.03

If the operator is required to file a bond or make a cash deposit before the cutting can be started, the collection of yield taxes will be assured and the possibility of losing substantial amounts of tax revenue from this source eliminated.

Unredeemed Taxes

Unredeemed taxes from the tax sales on account of the levies of 1956 and prior years were as follows as of December 31, 1959:

Levy of 1956	\$ 295.53
Levy of 1955	322.41
Levy of 1954	278.71
Levy of 1953	54.68
Levy of 1952	48.74
Levy of 1951	41.11
Levy of 1950	36.06
Levy of 1949	52.80
Prior Years	<u>139.72</u>
	\$1,269.76

Inasmuch as the two year period in which the law provides that redemptions may be made has expired in all of these cases, it is recommended that the Collector give tax deeds to the Town on the properties represented by these unredeemed tax liens.

(Personal Property)

It was noted that the Collector sells personal property as such at his tax sales. If the delinquent taxpayer owns real estate, the unpaid personal property taxes should be included in the amount for which the real estate is sold. If, however, he is only liable for a tax on personal property, the collection of such delinquent tax should be made through distraint procedure and not through a tax sale which is limited to real estate.

(Interest on Redemptions from Tax Sales)

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 32, of the Revised Statutes Annotated, which is quoted in part herewith, interest at the rate of eight per cent should be charged on all redemptions from tax sales from the date of tax sale to the date on which redemption is made.

“80:32 Redemption. Any person interested in land so sold may redeem the same by paying or tendering to the collector, or in his absence, at his usual place of abode, at any time before a deed thereof is given by the collector, the amount for which the land was sold, together with costs for notifying mort-

gagees, if any, and with eight per cent interest upon the whole amount from the time of sale to the time of payment or tender, together with redemption costs incurred.**”

(Yield Taxes)

It is noted that the Town has not made a payment to the State Treasurer on account of yield tax collections since 1957. Chapter 79 of the RSA, as amended, provides in part as follows:

“79:15 Disposition of Bond and Debt Retirement Tax. The bond and debt retirement taxes collected under section 4 of this chapter shall be paid by the collectors of taxes of cities and towns into their respective treasuries. Each town or city shall pay over to the state treasurer in the month of January all such taxes collected during the preceding year, less any abatements granted.”

(Head Taxes)

It is noted that the Town has been losing some of its commission for the collection of State head taxes because of the failure to make remittances to the State within the time limits as provided by Law.

Chapter 8, Section 9, of the Laws of 1959, in relation thereto, provides in part as follows:

“8:9 Payment to State. On or before the fifteenth day of the months of September, December, March and June, each town and city shall cause its tax collector to certify such information as the state treasurer shall require and the treasurer to pay over to the state treasurer all special head taxes and penalties collected during the preceding three months after first deducting ten per cent of the head taxes collected. xxxx. If any town or city shall fail to make its payment when due the deduction of the ten per cent to be retained by it shall be reduced by one quarter of one per cent for each week or part thereof said payment is overdue.”

Motor Vehicle Permits:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 260, Section 5, of the RSA, as amended by Chapter 13 of the Laws of 1957, no permit for the registration of a motor vehicle should be issued without first requiring the applicant to show a tax collector's

receipt for the payment of any poll or head taxes for which the applicant is liable for the preceding year, or make an affidavit that such taxes have been paid.

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 184, of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Town.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Epping for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER
Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Norval D. Lessels, Auditor
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION
Concord, New Hampshire

March 31, 1960

Certificate of Audit

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Epping for the period from September 21st, 1958, (date of the previous audit by this Division) to December 31st, 1959. In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town and the results of operations for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1958 and December 31, 1959.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER
Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

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TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Epping in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Epping on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for roads and bridges.
4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day expenses.
5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell any property taken by tax title or otherwise, providing such property is advertised fifteen days in advance of sale and such notice is posted in three public places.
7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$837.24 and the State to contribute \$5,581.57 towards Class V construction and/or improvement to our town.
8. To see if the Town will vote to accept the total of \$913.89 of the so-called Duncan Fund money, allotted to the town by the State for the year 1961, to be used as required by statute.
9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to be used in cooperation with the State and Federal Funds for the control of White Pine Blister Rust, within the confines of the Town.
10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 to construct a sidewalk with curb on the north-east corner of Pleasant and Main Streets. This sidewalk to start where the improved sidewalk in front of the Ma-

sonic Hall ends, and continue to the corner and thence north along Main Street, the length of the Bank Building. This being the same article that was approved and passed at the March 1960 Town Meeting, but the contractor was unable to complete before frost.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for a new Wing, fully installed on the Highway Agent's truck.

12. To see if the town of Epping, N. H. on petition of Richard Castle and twenty others, will vote to purchase a new fire truck, and for such purpose to appropriate a sum not to exceed thirteen thousand and five hundred dollars (\$13,500.00), and to raise such sum to authorize the issuance of serial notes or bonds, an amount not to exceed \$13,500.00, under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 72 of the revised laws, as amended and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the time and place of payment and rate of interest on serial notes or bonds and to take whatever action as may be necessary to the issuance thereof.

13. To see if the town will vote to request the State Tax Commission to appraise all improved land and buildings to assist the Selectmen in equalizing assessed valuations within the town.

14. To see if the town will vote that the Highway Agent's Report be reduced in the future, to one page in the Town Reports, so that much space and money can be saved.

15. To see if the town will vote to close the following Class VI roads, or any of them, subject to Gates and Bars as provided by law in order to reduce liability for road expense and other liability now or in the future; (1) The old short cut from Mast Road to the rear of Hedding Camp Ground. (2) Grassy Lane to High Road.

16. To see if the town wishes to retain the recently enacted zoning laws (not to be confused with the previously enacted building code). The petitioners feel that the said ordinance is an unnecessary burden and expense to the citizens of Epping, a complicated addition to the town government, and unnecessary giving up of property owners' rights, as well as a very difficult thing to enforce.

17. To see if the town will vote to rescind the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law.

18. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

GORDON F. RAYMOND
J. PHILIP ESTEY
PHYLLIS THAYER DOW
Selectmen

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

GORDON F. RAYMOND
J. PHILIP ESTEY
PHYLLIS THAYER DOW
Selectmen

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961, Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

Source of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1961
From State:			
Interest & Dividends			
Tax	\$ 856.62	\$ 822.92	\$ 822.92
Railroad Tax	195.40	121.43	121.43
Savings Bank Tax	306.70	66.84	66.84
Duncan Fund		913.89	913.89
For Fighting Forest Fires	100.00	30.54	50.00
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	350.00	54.00	100.00
Town Poor		4,048.54	4,000.00
From Local Sources			
Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	350.00	228.00	300.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	50.00	33.00	25.00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal Court	1,200.00	993.00	1,000.00
Rent of Town Hall & Other Buildings	20.00	54.00	50.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	500.00	608.35	600.00
Income of Departments:			
Highway, Including Rental of Equipment	50.00		
Police Department		225.00	
Income from Municipally Owned Utilities:			
Water Department	5,500.00	7,011.07	6,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	8,500.00	9,530.10	9,500.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes	1,400.00	1,358.00	1,300.00

National Bank Stock			
Taxes	144.00	144.00	144.00
Yield Taxes	<u>600.00</u>	<u>1,305.03</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>

Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes	\$ 20,122.72	\$ 27,547.71	\$ 25,994.08
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Purposes of Expenditures	Appropriations Previous Year 1960	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1960	Appropriations Rec. By Budget Com. 1961
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Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,025.00	\$ 2,060.00	\$ 2,300.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00	870.70	1,325.00
Election & Registration Expenses	600.00	662.31	360.00
Municipal Court Expenses	600.00	600.00	600.00
Expenses Town Hall & Other Buildings	1,900.00	2,544.01	2,800.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

Bounties		1.50	5.00
Police Department	1,500.00	1,854.80	1,750.00
Fire Department	3,000.00	3,396.51	3,500.00
Blister Rust & Care of Trees			200.00
Insurance	250.00	183.10	250.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00	51.00	100.00
Damage by Dogs	125.00	89.71	125.00
Damages & Legal Expenses	350.00	316.80	350.00
Civil Defense	100.00	100.94	100.00

Health:

Health Dept., Including Hospitals	50.00	35.00	50.00
Vital Statistics	250.00	151.00	150.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	500.00	500.00	500.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance Summer	5,000.00	6,307.77	5,500.00
Winter	3,000.00	4,676.80	4,500.00
Street Lighting	3,300.00	3,061.66	3,300.00

General Expenses of Highway Dept.	700.00	669.20	700.00
Culverts & Tarring			2,000.00
Libraries:	600.00	600.00	600.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor Unpaid 1959	5,000.00	4,674.75	
Town Poor	4,000.00	6,528.73	5,000.00
Old Age Assistance	5,500.00	6,290.73	6,500.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day & Veterans Assoc.	200.00	200.00	300.00
Town Reports	650.00	500.40	650.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Municipally Owned Water & Electric Utilities	2,500.00	2,586.36	2,600.00
Cemeteries	100.00	100.00	200.00
Christmas Lights		169.88	
Advertising & Regional Assoc.	50.00	50.00	50.00
Auto Permit Fees	625.00	683.50	700.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	400.00	726.52	500.00
On Long Term Notes	250.00	350.54	350.00
Outlay for New Construction & Perm. Improv.:			
Highways and Bridges:			
Duncan Fund		887.41	913.89
State Aid Construction			
Town's Share - Class V	841.18	841.18	837.24
Sidewalk Construction	450.00		450.00
Painting Water Tank	1,650.00	1,651.67	
County Tax	5,929.64	5,929.64	6,900.00
Payment on Princ. of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Total Expenditures	\$57,095.82	\$64,404.12	\$62,016.13
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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Week Ending January 2, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow	\$220.50
William G. Parker, Hauling Away Snow	32.00
William G. Parker, Tractor, Loading Snow	30.00
William G. Parker, Sanding Roads	14.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	51.50
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	3.50
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	5.00
Otis Goodrich, Moving Snow with Hough	10.00
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	\$366.50

Week Ending January 9, 1960

William G. Parker, Sanding and Salting	\$ 76.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	23.75
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	17.50
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	\$117.25

Week Ending January 16, 1960

William G. Parker, Moving Old Salt at Town Hall	\$ 2.25
William G. Parker, Unloading Carload of Salt	32.00
William G. Parker, Salting Roads	20.00
William G. Parker, Tractor, Clearing Streets	7.50
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	16.50
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	1.50
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	1.50
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	\$ 81.25

Week Ending January 23, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow	\$180.00
William G. Parker, Sanding and Salting	36.00
William G. Parker, Tractor Moving Ice and Snow	26.25
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	50.00
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	2.50
Frederick Johnson, Helping on Roads	10.00
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	\$304.75

Week Ending January 30, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	\$108.00
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Int. Truck	99.00
William G. Parker, Sanding and Salting	52.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	16.25

Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	39.00
Edward Castle, Helping on Roads	11.88
Frederick Johnson, Helping on Roads	6.25
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	3.75
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	\$336.13

Week Ending February 6, 1960

William G. Parker, Sanding and Salting Roads	\$ 64.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	20.00
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	12.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	20.00
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	3.75
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	\$119.75

Week Ending February 20, 1960

William G. Parker, Sanding and Salting	\$ 82.00
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	108.00
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Int. Truck	78.75
William G. Parker, Tractor, Loading Sand	18.75
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	41.25
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	24.37
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	29.37
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	4.37
Frederick Johnson, Helping on Roads	8.72
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	\$395.58

Week Ending February 27, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 28.00
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	67.50
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Int. Truck	54.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	10.75
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	23.75
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	15.00
Otis Goodrich, Plowing Snow, Hough	20.00
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	\$219.00

Week Ending March 5, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	\$171.00
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Int. Truck	94.50
William G. Parker, Tractor, Moving Snow	18.75
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	12.50
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	5.00
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	21.25
Fred Coffin, Jr., Plowing Snow	72.00
Edward Burt, Plowing Snow with Crawler	94.50

Otis Goodrich, Plowing Snow with Hough	110.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	39.00
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	\$638.50

Week Ending March 12, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	\$ 47.25
William G. Parker, Hauling Away Snow	36.00
William G. Parker, Tractor Loading Snow	48.75
William G. Parker, Salting	6.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	31.25
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	18.13
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	5.00
Edward Burt, Plowing Snow	35.00
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	\$227.38

Week Ending March 19, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	\$ 58.50
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow	27.00
William G. Parker, Tractor, Moving Snow	7.50
William G. Parker, Moving Tree from Road	2.25
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	10.00
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	7.50
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	7.50
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	\$120.25

Week Ending March 26, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 28.00
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	24.00
William G. Parker, Loading Gravel	15.00
William G. Parker, Tractor Moving Snow in Gravel Pit	26.25
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	25.00
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	\$118.25

Week Ending April 2, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 32.00
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	52.00
William G. Parker, Shovelling Gravel	15.00
William G. Parker, Cleaning out Ditches	5.25
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	7.50
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	18.13
Frederick Johnson, Helping on Roads	7.50
Robert Proulx, 95 yd. Gravel	14.25
Otis Goodrich, 55 yd. Gravel Loaded	27.50
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	\$179.13

Week Ending April 9, 1960

William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	\$ 68.00
William G. Parker, Trip to Manchester for Culverts	12.00
William G. Parker, Labor on Ditches	9.00
William G. Parker, Truck on Mast Road	20.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	37.50
Otis Goodrich, 70 yd. Gravel, Loaded	35.00
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	\$181.50

Week Ending April 16, 1960

William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	\$ 88.00
William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	1.50
William G. Parker, Loading Gravel	22.50
William G. Parker, Cold Patching	26.00
William G. Parker, Cleaning Main Street	16.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	45.00
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	6.25
Albert Warren, Scraping Roads	168.75
Otis Goodrich, 80 yd. Gravel Loaded	40.00
Robert Proulx, 60 yd. Gravel	9.00
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	\$423.00

Week Ending April 23, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 28.00
William G. Parker, Moving Logs from Road	4.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	8.75
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	8.75
Albert Warren, Scraping Roads	22.50
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	\$ 72.00

Week Ending April 30, 1960

William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	\$ 12.00
William G. Parker, Cold Patching	28.00
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	3.75
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	8.75
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	\$ 52.50

Week Ending May 7, 1960

William G. Parker, Taking Down Snow Fences	\$ 18.00
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	40.00
William G. Parker, Cold Patching	64.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	35.63
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	12.50
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	\$170.13

Week Ending May 21, 1960

William G. Parker, Labor on Culverts, Mast Rd.	\$ 15.00
William G. Parker, Cleaning Catch Basins	24.00
William G. Parker, Cold Patching	32.00
William G. Parker, Shovelling Gravel	18.75
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	28.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	37.50
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	27.50
Robert Proulx, 50 yd. Gravel	<u>7.50</u>
	\$190.25

Week Ending May 28, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 28.00
William G. Parker, Cleaning Main Street	28.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	16.25
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	<u>6.25</u>
	\$ 78.50

Week Ending June 4, 1960

William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	\$ 27.75
Albert C. Warren, Scraping Roads	128.25
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	<u>18.13</u>
	\$174.13

Week Ending June 11, 1960

William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	\$ 24.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	30.00
Albert C. Warren, Scraping Roads	<u>165.37</u>
	\$219.37

Week Ending June 18, 1960

William G. Parker, Hauling Away Dirt	\$ 40.00
William G. Parker, Tractor, Loading Dirt	41.25
William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	4.50
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	46.00
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	33.12
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	8.75
Albert C. Warren, Grading Roads	81.00
Otis Goodrich, Hauling Gravel	25.85
Otis Goodrich, 72 yds. Gravel Loaded	<u>36.00</u>
	\$316.47

Week Ending June 25, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 20.00
William G. Parker, Sweeping Roads	19.50
Lloyd Jennings, Helping on Roads	22.50
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	<u>16.25</u>
	\$ 78.25

Week Ending July 2, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 60.00
William G. Parker, Cleaning Main Street	36.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	30.00
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	<u>30.00</u>
	\$156.00

Week Ending July 16, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 28.00
William G. Parker, Sweeping Roads	6.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	13.75
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	<u>8.75</u>
	\$ 56.50

Week Ending July 16, 1960

William G. Parker, Tarring Roads	\$100.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	31.25
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	31.25
Otis Goodrich, Truck Sanding Tar	103.40
Otis Goodrich, Loading Sand	<u>130.00</u>
	\$395.90

Week Ending August 9, 1960

William G. Parker, Labor on Culverts	\$ 4.50
William G. Parker, Repairing Bridge	1.50
William G. Parker, Truck, Hauling Gravel	8.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	6.25
Melvin Becker, Digging for Culvert	<u>12.00</u>
	\$ 32.25

Week Ending September 10, 1960

William G. Parker, Cutting Down Tree	\$ 4.90
William G. Parker, Repairing Bridge Rail	1.50
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	2.50

Charles Allen, Helping on Roads	<u>2.50</u>
	\$ 11.40

Week Ending September 24, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 72.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	22.50
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	<u>12.50</u>
	\$107.00

Week Ending October 22, 1960

William G. Parker, Clearing Catch Basins	\$ 36.00
William G. Parker, Cold Patching	24.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	18.75
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	<u>15.00</u>
	\$ 93.75

Week Ending October 29, 1960

William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	\$ 1.50
William G. Parker, Tractor Shovelling Gravel	18.75
William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	24.00
William G. Parker, Clearing Ditches and Catch Basins	28.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	16.25
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	16.25
Otis Goodrich, 20 yd. Gravel Loaded	10.00
Robert Proulx, 30 yd. Gravel	<u>4.50</u>
	\$119.25

Week Ending November 5, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 36.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	11.25
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	<u>11.25</u>
	\$ 58.50

Week Ending November 19, 1960

William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	\$ 64.00
William G. Parker, Tractor Digging Ditch	18.75
William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	34.50
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	46.25
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	46.25
Albert Warren, Grading Roads	246.37
Otis Goodrich, 70 yd. Gravel Loaded	<u>35.00</u>
	\$491.12

Week Ending November 26, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 32.00
William G. Parker, Hauling Sand for Winter	12.00
William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	16.50
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	23.75
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	23.75
Otis Goodrich, Shovelling Sand	24.00
Otis Goodrich, Truck Hauling Sand	14.10
Albert Warren, Scraping Roads	<u>195.75</u>
	\$341.85

Week Ending December 10, 1960

William G. Parker, Cold Patching	\$ 64.00
William G. Parker, Use of Truck	16.00
William G. Parker, Use of Power Saw	14.47
William G. Parker, Labor on Roads	12.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	36.87
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	35.00
Charles Glover, Cutting Bushes	46.25
Albert Warren, Grading Roads	<u>54.00</u>
	\$278.59

Week Ending December 17, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Ford Truck	\$220.00
William G. Parker, Plowing Snow, Int. Truck	135.00
William G. Parker, Tractor, Moving Snow	88.00
William G. Parker, Sanding Roads	50.00
William G. Parker, Snow Removal	80.00
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	77.50
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	26.87
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	47.50
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	7.50
Fred Coffin, Jr., Plowing Snow	<u>102.00</u>
	\$834.37

Week Ending December 24, 1960

William G. Parker, Sanding and Salting	\$ 88.00
William G. Parker, Loading Sand, Tractor	32.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	27.50
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	<u>18.75</u>
	\$166.25

Week Ending December 31, 1960

William G. Parker, Plowing Snow	\$105.00
William G. Parker, Sanding	32.00

William G. Parker, Loading Snow	4.00
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	10.00
Wayne Hartford, Helping on Roads	5.00
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	16.25

\$172.25

DUNCAN FUND MONEY

William G. Parker, Hauling Gravel	\$ 63.55
Michael Hill, Helping on Roads	19.38
Charles Allen, Helping on Roads	8.75
Joseph LeClair, Hauling Gravel	63.55
Hubert Wendell, Hauling Gravel	34.85
Ernest Cardinal, Shovelling Gravel	139.50
Samuel Cardinal, Hauling Gravel	39.95
Samuel Cardinal, Using Bulldozer	130.97
Raymond Cardinal, Hauling Gravel	39.95
Carroll Cardinal, Hauling Gravel	39.95
Edward Cahill, Jr., Hauling Gravel	39.95
Otis Goodrich, 610 yds. Gravel	91.50
William G. Parker, Sanding Tar and Sweeping	53.30
Joseph Hartford, Helping on Roads	16.25
Donald Robertson, Helping on Roads	16.25
Otis Goodrich, Shovelling and Trucking Sand	63.50
Carl Stilson, Helping on Roads	6.25
Homer Johnson, Sweeping	20.00

\$887.40

**REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR
FOR THE WATER DEPARTMENT**

Cash on Hand	\$.02	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1959	511.29	
Water Bills Rendered, 1960	<u>6,977.00</u>	
		\$7,488.31
Remittance to Treasurer	\$7,011.07	
Water Bills Abated	61.95	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1960	<u>415.79</u>	
	\$7,488.81	
Overcollected 1960 (to be credited on 1961 collections)	<u>.50</u>	
		\$7,488.31

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW P. MOREL

MUNICIPAL COURT

Number of Cases 1960 - 229

Balance January 1, 1960	\$ 135.56	
Total Fines Collected	<u>3,375.40</u>	
		\$3,510.96
Disbursements:		
Commissioner of Motor Vehicles	\$2,197.96	
Epping Treasurer	993.00	
Fish & Game Department	58.50	
Witness Fees	7.04	
Small Claims	25.40	
Bail Refund	10.00	
Supplies	88.00	
Earle B. Rourke, Special Justice	20.00	
Bank Balance & Cash on Hand	<u>111.06</u>	
		\$3,510.96

REPORT OF

TRUST FUNDS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1960

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	HOW INVESTED	Princ. Bal. End Year	Inc. Bal. Beg. Year	Per cent	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
1898	Lovell J. Brock	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	\$ 100.00	\$ 3.91	4%	\$ 4.04	\$ 3.91	\$ 4.04
1899									
1945	George W. Plumer	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	700.00	18.00	4%	28.28	15.00	31.28
1902	Elizah & Gardner Jones	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.91	4%	4.04	3.91	4.04
1903	Mary S. Burnham	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	50.00	1.80	4%	2.02	1.80	2.02
1904	Rufus H. Smith	Town Poor	Amos. 706.86						
			Man. Fed. 500.00						
1905	Hannah Durgin	Care Burial Lot	Man. S. 1,000.00	2,206.86	261.21	4%	88.16	88.16	262.19
1906	Lydia W. Ladd	Care Central Cem.	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.91	4%	4.04	3.91	4.04
1908	Horace W. Langley	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	1,000.00	00.00 Bk's fig.		40.40	40.40	00.00
1908	Mary E. Burnham	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	500.00	251.06	4%	20.20	16.00	255.26
1913	William Cudworth	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.92	4%	4.04	3.92	4.04
1913	J. C. Bennett	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	50.00	1.80	4%	2.02	1.80	2.02
1914	Annie M. Pike	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	75.00	2.70	4%	3.03	2.70	3.03
1915	Walter Little	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	75.00	2.70	4%	3.03	2.70	3.03
1916	Celia Stevens	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	27.18	4%	4.04	5.00	26.22
1917	Abbie T. Spaulding	Care Central Cem.	Amoskeag S. B.	150.00	16.04	4%	6.06	6.06	16.04
1917	Elizabeth A. Edgerly	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	50.00	1.80	4%	2.02	1.80	2.02
1918	Fogg Fund	Sup. of Churches	Manchester S. B.	100.00	0.00	4%	4.04	4.00	0.00
1919	Harriett A. True	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	4.91	4%	4.04	4.00	4.95
1920	Mary A. Jones	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	50.00	1.80	4%	2.02	1.80	2.02
1920	Albert L. Norris	Care Central Cem.	Amoskeag S. B.	50.00	6.05	4%	2.02	2.02	6.05
1920	James A. Corning	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.91	4%	4.04	3.91	4.04
1922	Rebecca J. Foss	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	100.00	3.78	4%	4.04	3.78	4.04
1922	Hosea B. Burnham	Schools	Man. Fed. 2,000.			4%			
1923	Emma Clarage	Library	U.S. Bonds 3,000.	5,000.00	92.21	2-1/3%	152.39	135.00	109.60
1923	Sarah F. Wright	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1923	Bessie A. Miles	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1926	Carrie E. Norris	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	4.97	4%	4.04	4.00	5.01
1926	Carrie E. Norris	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	7.27	4%	4.04	5.00	6.31
1926	Fred H. Johnson	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	6.60	4%	4.04	5.00	5.64
1926	Linda Tarbox	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1926	Asa S. Robie	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.91	4%	4.04	3.91	4.04
192	Caleb J. & Mary French	Books for Library	Puritan Fd. 3,997.98	200.00	63.37	4%	8.08	5.00	66.45
			N.H. Sav. 510.61						
			Amos. 500.00						
			Man. Fed. 8,502.02	11,510.61	00.00 Bk's fig.		384.12	384.12	00.00

1927	Isabelle E. Bartlett	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1928	John O. Edgerly	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	7.22	4%	4.04	5.00	6.26
1929	James A. Johnson	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	150.00	17.96	4%	6.06	5.00	19.02
1929	Jacob H. Tilton	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.91	4%	4.04	3.91	4.04
1929	Frank A. Miles	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	50.00	1.80	4%	2.02	1.80	2.02
1929	Levi Thompson	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1930	Lizzie Rundlett	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1932	Daniel W. Cote	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	100.00	3.78	4%	4.04	3.78	4.04
1933	George W. Hopkinson	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	100.00	3.78	4%	4.04	3.78	4.04
1933	Mary E. P. Sanborn	Town Poor	N.H. Sav. 753.29 Exeter Bk. 443.99						
			Man. Fed. 2,800.	6,097.28	236.36	3-3/4%	240.81	234.73	242.44
			Man. S. 1,100.						
1934	Mary E. P. Sanborn	Care Burial Lot	Amos. 1,000.	200.00	50.93	4%	8.08	10.00	49.01
1934	Almon True	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	100.00	5.18	4%	4.04	4.00	5.22
1935			Man. Fed. S. B.						
1940	Sarah P. Prescott	Care Burial Lot	Amos. 100.00	225.00	71.90	4%	9.09	7.00	73.99
1940	Alfred Trask Blake	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. 125.00	125.00	11.87	4%	5.05	4.00	12.92
1941	Hattie Chase	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	3.61	4%	4.04	3.61	4.04
1943	George B. True	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	10.15	4%	4.04	4.00	10.19
1943	Joseph A. Edgerly	Care Burial Lot	Man. S. B.	200.00	14.85	4%	8.08	5.00	17.93
1943	Marcus M. Taylor	Care Burial Lot	Man. S. B.	200.00	16.60	4%	8.08	4.00	20.68
1943	Frank P. Blaisdell	Care Burial Lot	Man. S. B.	100.00	3.67	4%	4.04	3.67	4.04
1945	Matthew Harvey	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	100.00	10.66	4%	4.04	0.00	14.70
1946	Charles E. Gear	Care Burial Lot	Man. S. B.	500.00	101.60	4%	20.20	10.00	111.80
1946	Milton J. Bly	Care Burial Lot	Man. S. B.	100.00	2.50	4%	3.70	2.50	3.70
1947	Cyrus Sanborn	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B. 11 mo.	200.00	9.00	4%	7.40	5.00	11.40
1950	Abbie M. Norris	Care Burial Lot	U. S.	200.00	14.50	4%	5.00	4.00	15.50
1951	Isaiah, Myra and								
1952	Charles Purington	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	200.00	18.86	4%	8.08	4.00	22.94
1952	Myra E. Stevens Green	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	100.00	7.18	4%	4.04	4.00	7.22
1952	Olin Beals	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	200.00	17.86	4%	8.08	5.00	20.94
1953	George E. Beede	Lot, Quaker Cem.	Man. Fed. S. B.	300.00	51.54	4%	12.12	10.50	53.16
1954	William Fieldsend	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	100.00	4.18	4%	4.04	4.22	4.22
1958	Frank Willard	Care Burial Lot	Amoskeag S. B.	300.00	13.93	4%	12.12	5.00	21.05
	Wiggin Cemetery								
1960	Bertha Chase	Care Wiggin Cem.	Amoskeag S. B.	200.00			6.06	6.00	0.06
1960	Blanche Rollins Purington	Care Burial Lot	Man. Fed. S. B.	300.00			3.03	0.00	3.03
	Totals			\$34,489.75	\$1,538.46		\$1,242.14	\$1,146.31	\$1,634.29

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.
January 26, 1960

MARY E. F. BLAIR
PRISCILLA ESTEY
MARCIA LATWEN
Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Another year is past and again it is with pleasure that I present to you the following report. The Free Public Library has enjoyed another active and very busy year. One hundred and three new borrowers have been added, 342 new books were purchased, and the circulation was 8,349.

This has been an interesting year for me, and I only hope that I have made the library an interesting place for you. I have enjoyed watching the circulation of the library steadily increase and would certainly like to show an increase annually.

A high school girl, Miss Mary Crocker, has been hired as a helper on Wednesday afternoons. It was getting impossible to help the students to find books for their reports, take care of the fines, and date the books in a hurry, so that the bus children could make it back in time for the bus to take them home.

Monthly book deposits have been provided for the Mitchell Memorial Hospital throughout the year by members of the Friends of the Library group. The neighborhood exchange program is a bit slow and not too active, but is still in operation. There are small book deposits in the Nottingham and Brentwood libraries. Regular visits from the Bookmobile were made every two to three months where more and more books are left for reading pleasure and information.

I was given another scholarship to attend the library courses offered at the University of New Hampshire this past summer. I have already completed three years and hope to graduate from the course this summer and receive a librarian's certificate. I have also attended the Neighborhood meetings held this past year and have received valuable information on book selection and service for adults and young adults. The library has been given a number of books from the State library just for my attending these meetings.

The Friends of the Library, only a year old, has accomplished many things this year. Food sales have been held on the election days and held a very successful Tag Day. In turn, they were able to have the library painted and have purchased a library table to be used by the students. They helped to sponsor an Open House for the library one day during National Library week while the Garden Club made several flower arrangements. The Friends also helped to sponsor a film program and book display on the same day of the Open House. During the summer a Reading program was held for the fourth through the sixth grades and the Friends awarded cash prizes to the winners.

The Trustees of the Library sponsored a tea for the school teachers of Epping. This was quite well attended and helped to promote friendly relations between the library and school and to introduce library facilities to the teachers.

A sign was made for the library by the Grange that is hanging outside by the Town Hall. The sign states the days and hours that the library is open. This has been a help, particularly to new-comers to Epping. The Grange deserves a rising vote of thanks for their gift of the sign.

Several magazine gift subscriptions have been given to the Library by local clubs, the African Violet Club, Catholic Daughters, Garden Club and the Ladies Aid.

This has been an interesting year for me and I only hope I have made the library an interesting place for you. I have been glad to work for and serve you folks in Epping as the Librarian. It is always a pleasure to work where the conditions are pleasant, the people are congenial, and the town is most cooperative. And that is just what I have found at the Free Public Library of Epping, N. H.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IRENE M. HUTCHINSON
Librarian

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Receipts:

Balance in Exeter Banking Co.	\$748.70
Fines for Library Books	16.00
Received from Burnham Fund	15.00
Received from French Fund	439.15
Received from Town of Epping	<u>600.00</u>

\$1,818.85

Paid Out:

Librarian - Irene Hutchinson	\$245.50
Magazine Subscriptions	69.73
Books	894.00
Insurance on Books	15.00
Fixing Typewriter	8.00
Library Supplies	18.00
Balance in Exeter Banking Co.	<u>568.62</u>

\$1,818.85

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Grass Fires	0	Flooded Oil Burners	1
Chimney Fires	4	Still Alarms	4
Car Fires	7	Still Alarms to the Town Dump	3
Mutual aid calls to Epping	2	Calls for the Resuscitator	2
Mutual aid calls to Other Towns	3	Calls for Accidents	2
House Fires	8	Factory Fires	1
Barn Fires	1	Brush Fires	1
		Deaths Due to Fires	1

Total 40

Fourteen (14) Oil burner permits were issued during 1960.

Three (3) homes were inspected at the request of the Public Welfare Office in Portsmouth for the keeping of State Welfare Children.

This was a fine year for the Fire Department showing that the town people are careful of fire. We had one brush fire and no grass fires during the year. We have formed the Epping Firemen's Association which I hope the people will join and aid in helping to reduce the fire insurance rate. Many thanks for the cooperation which the people have shown at the fires in regards to traffic problems.

Respectively submitted,

RICHARD W. CASTLE

Chief

Epping Fire Department

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Chief - RICHARD W. CASTLE
1st Deputy - WALTER MOULTON
2nd Deputy - ARTHUR LaROCHE, SR.

Captain of Ford Pumper - EDWARD CASTLE, JR.
Lieutenant - HARRY FREEMAN, JR.

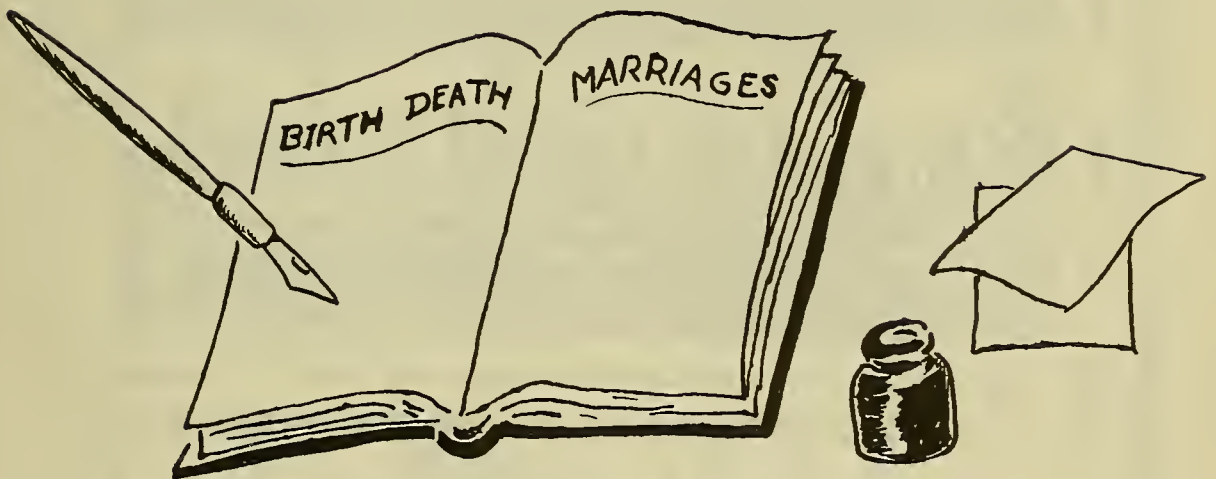
Captain of Reo Combination - ROGER GAUTHIER
Lieutenant - JOSEPH KENNY

Captain of Ford Spray - ARTHUR LaROCHE, JR.
Lieutenant - ALFRED DESJARDINS

Captain of Chevrolet Tanker - ARTHUR AVERILL, JR.
Lieutenant - ALBERT POLQUIN

Secretary and Treasurer - ARTHUR AVERILL, JR.

VITAL STATISTICS



BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EPPING, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Cond.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1960							
Feb.	9 Wade N. Hitchcock	M	L	Nathaniel W. Hitchcock	Irene M. Pratt	Epping, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
	17 Kimberly Ann Smart	F	L	Cornellus S. Smart, Jr.	Lorraine N. Bowley	Epping, N. H.	Brentwood, N. H.
	24 Vanessa Eloise Nash	F	L	Raymond A. Nash, Sr.	Nancy M. Porter	Waltham, Mass.	Epping, N. H.
Mar.	4 Mary Ann Nowe	F	L	David E. Nowe	Glorio A. Elliott	Gloucester, Mass.	Exeter, N. H.
	5 Anne Marie Levesque	F	L	Roger A. Levesque	Louise B. Giroux	Epping, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
	8 Kenneth Joseph Guillemette	M	L	Louis J. Guillemette	Elaine M. Nichols	Sanford, Me.	Epping, N. H.
	15 Carl Edward Stillson, Jr.	M	L	Carl E. Stillson, Sr.	Barbara E. Hall	Epping, N. H.	Chicopee, Mass.
	25 John Francis Simoneau	M	L	Roy E. Simoneau	Avis I. Marcotte	Auburn, N. H.	Brentwood, N. H.
	30 Thomas Michael Gauthier	M	L	Roger E. Gauthier	Helen M. Dow	Epping, N. H.	Haverhill, Mass.
	33 Mark Edward Martin	M	L	Ernest A. Martin	Marglene F. Smart	Epping, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
Apr.	13 Mary Eleanor Grant	F	L	Robert T. Grant	Margaret K. Woodworth	Ashland, Me.	Majestic, Ky.
	22 Rickie Porter	M	L	James E. Porter	Edith L. Smart	Fremont, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
May	4 James Albert Piecuch	M	L	Theodore E. Piecuch	Joan S. Bonenfant	Newmarket, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
	10 Philip A. E. Downing	M	L	Philip Downing	Sandra E. Gagnon	Raymond, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
June	15 Douglas Philip Chute	M	L	Frederick T. Chute	Marilyn A. Brooks	Port Maitland, N.S., Can	No. Conway, N. H.
	17 Naomi Ellen Elliott	F	L	Warren D. Elliott, Sr.	Rosanna J. Hartford	Raymond, N. H.	Haverhill, Mass.
	17 Robert Marshall Hoff, Jr.	M	L	Robert M. Hoff	Ann L. Nichols	Minnesota	Amesbury, Mass.
	25 Robert Stuart Lyons	M	L	David F. Lyons	Dorothy J. Carroll	Malden, Mass.	Medford, Mass.
	25 Michael Barry Hartford	M	L	Perley W. Hartford, Jr.	Barbara F. Van Horn	Epping, N. H.	Laconia, N. H.
July	9 Kathleen Amber Bernier	F	L	Leo R. Bernier	Patricia M. Porter	Epping, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
	17 Robert Edmond Piecuch	M	L	Albert G. Piecuch, Sr.	Helen L. Grimard	Durham, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
	23 Pamela Jean Reinhold	F	L	Robert N. Reinhold	Jean M. Young	Beverly, Mass.	Danvers, Mass.
	29 Gregory Allen Latour	M	L	Robert E. Latour, Sr.	Natalie M. Morrison	Newmarket, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
Aug.	6 Sandra Lynn Desjardin	F	L	Romeo J. Desjardin	Marion J. Braley	Epping, N. H.	Northwood, N. H.
	13 Robin Michelle Stillson	F	L	Charles H. Stillson, Jr.	Constance A. Johnson	Epping, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
	14 Michael Francis Roberts	M	L	Thomas F. Roberts	Patricia M. Cullnan	Rockland, Mass.	Brockton, Mass.
	21 Randy Joe Marcotte	M	L	Norman H. Marcotte	Elaine F. Maynard	Fremont, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Sept.	9 Donna Marie Runcie	F	L	John W. Runcie	Lorraine Hasselbee	Winthrop, Mass.	Exeter, N. H.
	14 Mark Thomas Yergeau	M	L	Raymond O. Yergeau	Anta L. St. Laurent	Exeter, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
	15 Roger Joseph Letourneau	M	L	Roland E. Letourneau	Shirley A. Burleigh	Epping, N. H.	Fremont, N. H.
	18 Thomas Michael Hill	M	L	Albert H. Hill, Jr.	Carol E. Whitehead	Dover, N. H.	Boston, Mass.
	29 Christopher Allen Roper	M	L	Samuel F. Roper, Jr.	Martha M. Marshall	Deerfield, N. H.	Camden, N. J.
Oct.	22 Herbert Henry Currier III	M	L	Herbert H. Currier, Jr.	Alice Cora E. Manter	Maine	Exeter, N. H.
	22 John Philippe Proulx	M	L	Maurice J. Proulx	Marie J. Bernier	Exeter, N. H.	Exeter, N. H.
Nov.	4 Alan Wayne Evans	M	L	Howard A. Evans	Carol A. Vadeboncoeur	Nashua, N. H.	Orange, Mass.
	9 Cindy Hazel McKenney	F	L	Kenneth B. McKenney	Edith A. Holloway	Lisbon, N. H.	Lunenburg, Vt.
	12 David Bret Fahey	M	L	Edward G. Fahey	Linda J. Dickinson	Somerville, Mass.	Brentwood, N. H.
Dec.	16 Susan Gladys Scheitinger	F	L	George A. Scheitinger	Rose A. Lungarello	Endicott, N. Y.	Buffalo, N. Y.
	17 Louis James de LaBruere	M	L	Louis H. de LaBruere	Anne T. Fox	Groveton, N. H.	Rochester, N. H.
	21 Luanne Claire Levesque	F	L	Leo J. Levesque	Beatrice O. Derileau	Epping, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
	24 Jill Rae Phalen	F	L	Gordon A. Phalen	Gladys D. Hill	Epping, N. H.	Brentwood, N. H.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN EPPING, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

Date 1960	Name and Surname	Place of Birth	Age	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 2	George Arthur Tobline	Hampstead, N. H.	77	M	Not Known	Not Known
11	Joseph Edmond Grimard	Canada	62	M	Philip Grimard	Alvina Belanger
21	Gertrude E. Hayes	Amesbury, Mass.	57	F	Charles E. Adams	Flora M. Shattuck
Feb. 25	George St. John	Epping, N. H.	72	M	Frank St. John	Mary Gardner
26	George Joseph Hebert	St. Clothide, Can.	80	M	Calxte Hebert	Arice Hebert
Mar. 2	Norris Johnson	Epping, N. H.	74	M	Charles Johnson	Josephine Heath
3	Mary Kirovac	Canada	83	F	Unknown	Unknown
29	Mabel Josephine Thompson	Epping, N. H.	85	F	George S. Thompson	Mary Josephine Dunklee
Apr. 4	Herbert Henry Herrmann	Gr. Barrington, R.I.	77	M	Julius Herrmann	Emily Waite
18	George Freeman Robinson	Auburn, N. H.	85	M	Daniel A. Robinson	Flora A. Stevens
29	Charles Hoffser Welt	Waldboro, Me.	81	M	Simon O. Welt	Angie Hoffses
May 14	Muriel Florence Quackenbush	Marshfield, Mass.	57	F	Unknown	Unknown
26	George Samuel Adams	Akron, Ohio	68	M	Walter Adams	Rae Hilbourne
June 6	Elmer George Willey	Fremont, N. H.	70	M	George Willey	Rose Gagnon
7	Nellie Gertrude Holmes	Epping, N. H.	86	F	Olando Smith Langley	Hannah Burnham
14	George Albert Lavoie	Bay St. Paul, Can.	71	M	Hercules Lavoie	Mary Bouchard
16	Lester Alfred Wear	Plymouth, Mass.	77	M	Unknown	Unknown
18	Baby Boy Hoff	Exeter, N. H.	--	M	Robert M. Hoff	Ann Louise Nichols
July 5	Frank J. Holt	Epping, N. H.	83	M	Luther Holt	Sarah Thompson
11	Florence Hill Hartford	Nottingham, N. H.	46	F	Albert Hill	Ida Mendum
Sept. 1	Mark Clotti	Portsmouth, N. H.	3 mos	M	Salvatore Ciotti	Lena McCarty
2	Ethel Gertrude Underhill	Raymond, N. H.	91	F	John Crane	Emma Fullonton
3	Theodore Cella	Philadelphia, Pa.	63	M	Unknown	Unknown
23	G. Howard Miller	Epping, N. H.	65	M	George H. Miller	Emma Fogg
29	George Joseph LaBranche	Westville, N. H.	75	M	Jean Baptiste LaBranche	Emilia Pare
Oct. 3	Herbert Henry Currier III	Exeter, N. H.	1 day	M	Herbert H. Currier	Alice Cora E. Manter
Nov. 4	Cassie M. Hill	Blacksville, N.B., Can	88	F	John MacDonald	Victoria Campbell
25	Bertha WiggIn Chase	Epping, N. H.	82	F	Daniel WiggIn	Laura Cook
28	Axel Leander Erikson	Dalarna, Sweden	63	M	Unknown	Unknown
Dec. 11	Edith May Goodrich	Clinton, Mass.	96	F	Edward Benson	Mary E. Roper

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN EPPING, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

Date 1960	Name of Groom & Bride	Age	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Jan. 10	Richard P. Beaulieu	21	Adelard Beaulieu	Rev. Robert J. Bryson Catholic Priest Newmarket, N. H.
	Carole A. Hayes	17	Laura Hamel Arthur C. Hayes	
			Alice M. St. John	
16	Peter Iver Desroches	20	Louis J. Desroches	Rev. Robert J. Bryson Catholic Priest Newmarket, N. H.
			Barbara B. Fogg	
	Sandra Ann Foss	17	John A. Foss	
			Evelyn Helen Moul	
19	John David Ross	18	George Allen Ross	Retenah V. Pietrowski Justice of the Peace Raymond, N. H.
			Gertrude A. White	
	Beatrice Leona Eaton	16	William H. Eaton	
			Doris A. Robinson	
Apr. 2	James Currier	18	William W. Currier	John W. Perkins Justice of the Peace Nottingham, N. H.
	Emily G. Fife	17	Nellie L. Denyou	
			Willie C. Fife	
			Charlotte E. Coddling	
2	Ronald Dwaine Buchli	21	Walter C. Buchli	Rev. Guy M. Judkins Baptist Minister Brentwood, N. H.
			Opal E. Steele	
	Joan Mary Cornish	19	Reginald S. Pender	
			Dorothy C. Kadlee	
June 11	Benoit Remi Morin	30	Claude C. Morin	Rev. Armand Provost Catholic Priest Epping, N. H.
			Blanche I. Benoit	
	Carole Frances Pelletier	26	Arthur J. Pelletier	
			Liana F. Belanger	
18	Glen S. Bosworth	20	Donald L. Bosworth	Rev. Armand Provost Catholic Priest Epping, N. H.
			Ivy E. Laeson	
	MarieRose Aline Bernier	17	Camille V. Bernier	
			Yvonne St. Pierre	
25	Karl Fred Geisinger	24	Samuel L. Geisinger	Rev. James E. Pender Methodist Minister Jamaica Plains, Mass.
			Gladys M. Stamets	
	Beverly Annabelle Brown	22	James F. Brown, Jr.	
			Dorothy M. Whitney	
25	Harold Warren Peaslee	24	Ralph H. Peaslee	Rev. Everett R. Scruton Minister Hampton Falls, N. H.
			Ruby Carleton	
	Helen Johnston	26	Edward Johnston	
			Mary E. Brigden	

June	25	Chestley Leonard Readell Jo Ann Heath	21	Everett A. Readell Thelma D. White	Rev. Armand Provost Roman Catholic Priest Epping, N. H.
			19	Charles P. Heath Rita L. Poliquin	
	26	John Perley Hartford June Evelyn Corey	22	Joseph Hartford Hilda C. Jambard	Robert Clement Justice of the Peace Raymond, N. H.
July	1	Eugene Arlis Barnes Retenah Mae Brown	17	Walter E. Corey Ruth S. MacDonald	
			32	Eugene L. Barnes Doris B. Pooler	Retenah V. Pietrowski Justice of the Peace Raymond, N. H.
	2	Robert Wilfred Cote Joellyn Downing Trefethen	31	George S. Adams Sarah M. Smart	
			21	William J. Cote Regina M. Bernier	Rev. Armand Provost Roman Catholic Priest Epping, N. H.
	2	Leon Augustus Hartford Arlene Phyllis West	18	Harold O. Trefethen Olive N. Sullivan	
			21	John A. Hartford Elizabeth M. Robinson	Rev. Ivan S. Nowlan Clergyman Deerfield, N. H.
	8	Emery Owen Emmons Marie Frances Doherty	18	Lawrence E. West Mary L. Clark	
			24	Rodney Emmons Barbara I. Strout	Gladys M. Smith Justice of the Peace Newfields, N. H.
	23	Robert Phillip Tucker Grace Elizabeth Bishop	15	Richard F. Doherty Norma A. Witter	
			20	John V. Tucker Marion L. McLane	Rev. Samuel E. Landers Methodist Clergyman Exeter, N. H.
	18	Kenneth Tylock Alice Elizabeth Pendergrace	20	Carroll B. Bishop Ella F. Porter	
			21	Benjamin F. Tylock Ethel Burgun	George Scheitinger Justice of the Peace Epping, N. H.
	21	Wilfred A. Latour Veronica D. Poliquin	22	Albion R. Pendergrace Alice Swett	
			57	Charles Latour Rose Latour	Rev. Armand Provost Catholic Priest Epping, N. H.
	30	Edwin Warren Brackett Janis Ramsay	50	Nelson D. Dominique Mary O. Lambert	
			24	Oliver E. Brackett Hattie E. Gage	Rev. Donald A. Morrison Congregational Minister Hudson, N. H.
			22	Louis L. Ramsay Charlotte M. Thibodeau	

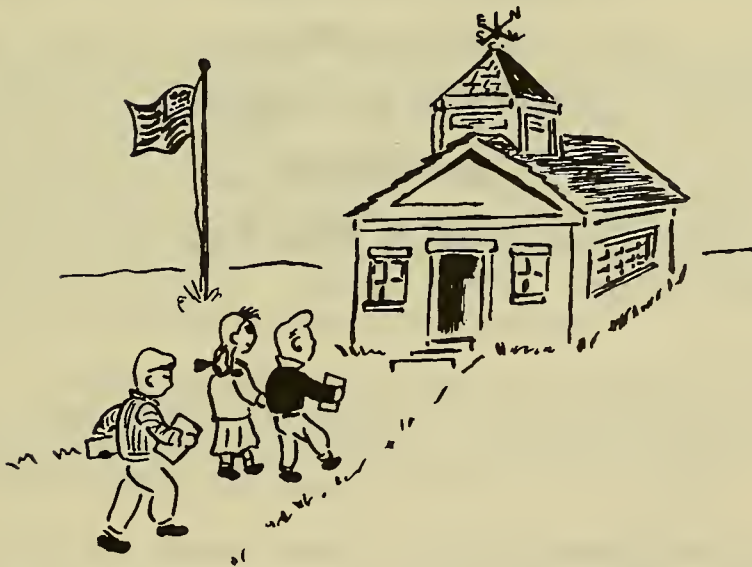
July	31	Bruce E. Champoux	25	Arthur G. Champoux	Samuel J. Lombard
		Pierrette A. Charest	20	Ruth Simmons	Catholic Priest
Aug.	13	Byron David Emmons		Donat J. Charest	Amesbury, Mass.
		Louise Veronica Doherty	22	Aurora Levesque	Gladys M. Smith
	22	Daniel Von Weaver		Rodney W. Emmons	Justice of the Peace
		Ella May Stevens	17	Barbara I. Strout	Newfields, N. H.
	30	George Samuel Adams, Jr.		Richard F. Doherty	Rev. James E. Pender
		Sandra Elaine Emerson	23	Norma A. Witter	Methodist Minister
	31	Arnold Frederick Emerson, Jr.		Thomas A. Weaver	Epping, N. H.
		Florence C. Hartford	23	Clesta E. Tribby	Retenah V. Pietrowski
	31	Thomas Albert Talbot		William B. McPhee	Justice of the Peace
		Jeanine Marie Paul Bernier	18	Dorothy W. Mason	Raymond, N. H.
Sept.	1	John Kardash		George S. Adams, Sr.	Retenah V. Pietrowski
		Florence Delia Bernier	16	Sarah M. Smart	Justice of the Peace
	3	Henry Cutter Holt		Arnold F. Emerson	Raymond, N. H.
		Wilda Adele Massi	18	Marjorie L. Draper	Rev. Armand Provost
	3	Raymond Nelson Locke		Arnold F. Emerson	Catholic Priest
		Roberta Isabel Stilkey	20	Marjorie L. Draper	Epping, N. H.
	4	Charles A. Brisson		Richard J. Hartford	Rev. Armand Provost
		Barbara J. Pendergrace	21	Florence E. Hill	Catholic Priest
			19	Henry Albert Talbot	Epping, N. H.
				Eva M. Dupere	Rev. Armand Provost
			24	Alfred Bernier	Catholic Priest
				Eva Desrosiers	Epping, N. H.
				John Kardash	Roland E. McLaughlin
			20	Antoinette Werbicki	Justice of the Peace
			60	Alphonse J. Bernier	Portsmouth, N. H.
			43	Aurora E. Proulx	George Scheltinger
				Henry C. Holt	Justice of the Peace
			22	Elizabeth E. Gray	Epping, N. H.
				Joseph P. Massi	George Scheltinger
			21	Rose Cloutier	Justice of the Peace
				Charles R. Locke	Epping, N. H.
			26	Bertha E. Nelson	
				Henry A. Prue	
			25	Isabel M. Towne	
				Joseph A. Brisson	
				Helen R. Kaulback	
				Albion R. Pendergrace	
				Alice J. Swett	

Sept. 7	Norton Franklin Simes	23	Andrew F. Simes	Rev. Eugene Dumas
	Rosemarie Scagliotti	21	Mary E. Perkins	Catholic Priest
16	Daniel Isadore Thibeault		Harry Scagliotti	Newmarket, N. H.
	Jean Ann Robertson	22	Marie J. Gagnon	
17	Joseph J. Connors		Henry Thibeault	Rev. Raymond W. Grasser
	Anne E. Janelle	20	Bethel Porter	Minister
17	Oscar E. Lavoie		Harold G. Robertson	Portsmouth, N. H.
	Dorothy L. Snyder	21	Florrie Moncaster	
Oct. 8	Leon Freeman Glidden		William H. Connors	Fr. George St. Jean
	Donna Alice Critchett	21	Catherine DeFroff	Catholic Priest
15	Henry T. Thibeault, Jr.	19	Albert L. Janelle	Epping, N. H.
	Mario C. Keppler	54	Mary E. Briggs	
Nov. 19	Thomas James Moreau		Hector Lavoie	Arthur G. MacFarlane
	Ella Candace Thibeault	52	Arthur Tarlton	Justice of the Peace
26	Richard James Bateman		Jeanette Johnson	Epping, N. H.
	Mary Foster Allen	18	Lucien F. Glidden	
26	Albert Daniels Johnson		Leota Denyou	Albert A. Gardanier
	Patricia Ann Mailbot	17	Edwin Gardner	Minister
Dec. 3	Charles Anastos Andon		Mary L. Davis	Candia, N. H.
	Donna Jean Armstrong	24	Henry T. Thibeault, Sr.	Rev. Raymond W. Grasser
			Bethel Porter	Minister
		21	William A. McBride	Portsmouth, N. H.
			Marion L. Taatjes	
		21	Albert T. Moreau	Rev. Samuel Landers
			Alice G. Revear	Methodist Minister
		18	Henry T. Thibeault	Exeter, N. H.
			Bethel L. Porter	
		28	Arthur H. Bateman	Marion T. Brewster
			Laura M. Wood	Justice of the Peace
		23	Howard F. Allen	Stratham, N. H.
			Florence Allen	
		21	Homer C. Johnson, Sr.	Rev. Armand Provost
			Marjorie Daniels	Catholic Priest
		20	Arthur T. Mailbot	Epping, N. H.
			Margaret Audette	
		24	Anastos Andon	Rev. Samuel E. Landers
			Thomaidha Vangjell	Methodist Minister
		20	Carl R. Armstrong	Exeter, N. H.
			Virginia B. Porter	

Date 1960	Name of Groom & Bride	Age	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Dec. 9	William Steven Vasseliau Brenda St. John	23 18	John Vasseliau Louise M. Pender Horace F. St. John Lillian L. Maynard	George Scheitinger Justice of the Peace Epping, N. H.
30	Albert T. Fortier Carol Elizabeth Hill	20 18	Albert L. Fortier Gladys E. Lord Garfield J. Whitehead Margaret E. Collins	George Scheitinger Justice of the Peace Epping, N. H.

SCHOOL REPORT

together with the
SCHOOL BOARD'S PROPOSED BUDGET



OFFICERS OF THE EPPING SCHOOL DISTRICT

1960 - 1961

School Board

FRANCIS LAVOIE, Chairman

Term Expires 1962

LOUISE HARVEY, Clerk

Term Expires 1961

ROBERT KIMBALL

Term Expires 1963

Superintendent of Schools

THAYER D. WADE

Treasurer

J. PHILIP ESTEY

Moderator

CLAUDE GOODRICH

Clerk

FLORA GOODRICH

Auditor

R. DEXTER GOODRICH

Attendance Officer

LAWRENCE W. CARAWAY

School Nurse

CONSTANCE HUSS, R. N.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Epping qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the Fourteenth day of March, 1961, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the School District of Epping will vote with the other Districts of Supervisory Union No. 14 to provide for the services of a Helping Teacher as provided in R. S. A. 186:11 XXII, XXIII, XXIV; as amended 1957, R. S. A. 252:2.
10. If the above vote is in the affirmative to see if the District will raise the sum of \$1,257.80 for salary, transportation, retirement and social security.
11. To see if the School District of Epping will vote to originally build and equip a ten classroom school building.

Voted, that a ten classroom school building be originally constructed, equipped and furnished and that any real property necessary for it's location be acquired in said district.

12. To see if the School District of Epping will vote to raise and appropriate the sum aggregating to Two hundred forty thousand dollars (\$240,000.) to be used for the purpose of originally constructing, equipping, and furnishing of said new school and acquisition of any real property that may be necessary for it's location; and the said sum of Two hundred forty thousand dollars (\$240,000.) to be raised by issuance and sale of notes and/or bonds of the School District of Epping in the principal amount of Two hundred and forth thousand dollars (\$240,000.) to be issued pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act as set forth in Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 33, as amended, and any other authority enabling of the said Revised Statutes Annotated, the fixing of the rate of interest, the provisions for the sale of the notes and/or bonds and all other matters in connection therewith to be left to the discretion of the School Board.

13. To see to what extent the School District of Epping will share services and facilities with Newmarket.

14. To see if the School District of Epping will vote to tuition High school pupils to schools in surrounding towns, starting in September 1961.

15. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Epping this 24th day of February, 1961

FRANCIS J. LAVOIE
LOUISE B. HARVEY
ROBERT KIMBALL
School Board

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

FRANCIS J. LAVOIE
LOUISE B. HARVEY
ROBERT KIMBALL
School Board

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF EPPING, NEW HAMPSHIRE

1960- 1961-1962

EXPENDITURES	Actual Expendi- tures 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Actual Expenditures July 1 to Dec. 31, 1960	School Board's Budget 1961-62	Budget Committee's Budget 1961-62
Administration:					
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 405.00	\$ 435.00	\$ 235.00	\$ 435.00	\$ 435.00
Supt.'s Salary (local share)	869.70	1,332.00	1,221.00	1,247.75	1,247.75
Tax for State Wide Supervision	898.00	900.00	934.00	940.00	940.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	808.06	1,009.08	919.08	1,140.22	1,140.22
Supplies and Expenses	834.13	918.86	900.09	981.45	981.45
Instruction:					
High School Teachers' & Principal's Salaries	29,010.00	31,750.00	10,108.72	38,200.00	38,200.00
Elementary Teachers' & Principal's Salaries	46,771.95	49,900.00	16,532.92	59,100.00	58,100.00
Books and Other Instruction Aids, high	455.39	1,174.25	943.83	1,167.62	1,167.62
Books and Other Instruction Aids, Ele.	1,221.77	1,126.72	911.27	750.00	750.00
Scholars' Supplies, High	851.09	584.88	817.21	994.59	994.59
Scholars' Supplies, Elementary	2,768.29	2,500.00	2,509.66	2,500.00	2,500.00
Supplies and Other Expenses, High	378.81	745.65	289.37	1,017.30	750.00
Supplies and Other Expenses, Ele.	322.94	650.00	385.11	438.00	438.00
Operation of School Plant:					
Salaries of Custodians, High	1,080.00	1,600.00	554.64	1,800.00	1,800.00
Salaries of Custodians, Elementary	2,050.00	2,000.00	1,202.32	2,200.00	2,200.00
Fuel or Heat, High	659.27	800.00	180.24	800.00	800.00
Fuel or Heat, Elementary	2,067.58	2,500.00	492.47	2,500.00	2,500.00
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses, High	691.98	810.00	312.39	810.00	810.00
Elementary	1,915.99	1,320.00	810.28	1,320.00	1,320.00
Maintenance of School Plant:					
Repairs and Replacements, High	854.93	465.00	341.40	1,090.00	1,090.00
Repairs and Replacements, Elementary	2,405.68	535.00	849.95	1,000.00	1,000.00

Auxiliary Activities:					
Health Supervision, High	272.80	455.96	435.60	500.00	500.00
Health Supervision, Elementary	1,107.17	1,823.84	1,544.37	2,000.00	2,000.00
Transportation, High	1,288.00	1,600.00	454.40	3,000.00	3,000.00
Transportation, Elementary	3,312.00	5,700.00	2,385.60	7,260.00	7,260.00
Tuition, High	730.00	300.00	320.50	850.00	850.00
Tuition, Elementary	801.92	800.00	303.52	1,200.00	1,200.00
Special Activities and Special Funds, High	465.35	450.00	252.30	400.00	400.00
Elementary	4.55	100.00		100.00	100.00
School Lunch and Special Milk, High	334.00	100.00	72.83	100.00	100.00
School Lunch and Special Milk, Ele.	1,335.99	300.00	282.94	300.00	300.00
Fixed Charges:					
Retirement & Social Security, High	2,072.14	2,657.64	697.26	3,184.39	3,184.39
Retirement & Social Security, Ele.	3,380.87	4,284.32	1,233.99	5,014.41	5,014.41
Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses, High	86.04	70.00	52.30	330.00	330.00
Elementary	344.18	280.00	185.43	700.00	700.00
Contingency Fund		150.00			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	\$ 112,855.57	\$ 121,928.20	\$ 49,671.99	\$ 145,370.73	\$ 144,103.43
				146,628.53	145,361.23
			H.T.	\$ 1,257.80	\$ 1,257.80
Capital Outlay:					
Additions and Improvements, High	\$ 381.50	\$ 200.00	\$ 256.80	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Additions and Improvements, Ele.	223.10				
New Equipment, High	582.62		1,013.83	550.00	550.00
New Equipment, Elementary	383.27	1,260.97	990.64	3,117.13	2,000.00
	1,223.01	450.00	645.65	470.00	470.00
Total Capital Outlay	\$ 2,793.50	\$ 1,910.97	\$ 2,906.92	\$ 5,137.13	\$ 4,020.00
Debt and Interest:					
Principal of Debt	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Interest on Debt	955.00	877.50	455.00	845.00	845.00
Total Debt and Interest	\$ 3,955.00	\$ 2,877.50	\$ 2,455.00	\$ 2,845.00	\$ 2,845.00
Budget Deficiency		4,500.00	3,009.78	404.50	404.50
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OR SCH. APPROP;					
	\$ 119,604.07	\$ 131,218.67	\$ 58,043.69	\$ 153,757.36	\$ 151,372.93
				HT 155,015.16	152,630.73

RECEIPTS	Actual Receipts 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Actual Receipts July 1 to Dec. 31, 1960	School Board's Budget 1961-62	Budget Committee's Budget 1961-62
Balance	\$	\$ 60.00	\$	\$	\$
State Aid	36,024.85	41,477.15	40,762.97	41,000.00	41,000.00
Federal Aid	5,065.98	4,000.00	1,013.21	4,000.00	4,000.00
Trust Funds	120.00	120.00		120.00	120.00
High School Tuition	909.64		199.50	872.00	872.00
Elementary School Tuition	316.24			266.00	266.00
Bond or Note Issues				240,000.00	240,000.00
Other	3,651.22	260.00	68.01		
TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 46,087.93	\$ 45,857.15	\$42,043.69	\$286,258.00	\$286,258.00
DIST. ASSESSMENT RAISED OR TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	73,516.14	85,299.52	16,000.00	46,258.00 108,757.16 107,499.36	46,258.00 108,757.16 107,499.36
TOTAL APPROP. VOTED BY SCH. DIST.	\$119,604.07	\$131,216.67	\$58,043.69	\$153,757.36 HT 155,015.16	\$153,757.36 155,015.16
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REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

SUMMARY

Cash on Hand July 1, 1959 (Treasurer's bank balance)		None
Received from Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	\$69,016.14	
Special Appropriations (including deficit appropriation)	4,500.00	
Received from State Treasurer:		
State funds	36,024.85	
Federal funds	1,684.98	
Received directly from Federal Agencies	3,381.00	
Received from Tuitions	1,225.88	
Received as income from Trust Funds	120.00	
Received from all Other Sources	<u>4,095.83</u>	
Total Receipts		\$120,048.68
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)		\$120,048.68
Less School Board Orders Paid		<u>120,048.68</u>
Balance on Hand June 30, 1960 (Treasurer's bank balance)		None
July 15, 1960	J. PHILIP ESTEY District Treasurer	

NOTIFICATION OF SCHOOL ASSESSMENT, 1960

EXPENDITURES (1960-61)

Current Expenditures	\$121,928.20	
Capital Outlay:		
Additions and Improvements	200.00	
New Equipment	1,710.97	
Debt and Interest	2,877.50	
Deficiency Appropriation	<u>4,500.00</u>	
Total Appropriation		\$131,216.67

RECEIPTS (1960-61)

Balance, June 30, 1960 - Less		
Liabilities (Estimate)	\$	60.00
Federal Aid (Estimate)		4,000.00
State Aid (Estimate)		41,477.15
Tuition (Estimate)		120.00
Trust Funds (Estimate)		260.00
Other Receipts (Estimate)		<u>85,299.52</u>
Total Appropriation		\$131,216.67

CERTIFICATES

To the Board of Selectmen:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Epping school district held March 12, 1960.

June 8, 1960

FLORA M. GOODRICH
Clerk of the School District

To the State Department of Education:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for the school year 1960-1961, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board in accordance with N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 197, Section 20.

June 7, 1960

FRANCIS J. LAVOIE
Chairman of the School Board

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1961-1962

(183 days)

School Opens	September 6, 1961 (Wednesday)	
Closes	December 22, 1961 (Friday)	75 days
Opens	January 2, 1962 (Tuesday)	
Closes	February 16, 1962 (Friday)	34 days
Opens	February 26, 1962 (Monday)	
Closes	April 20, 1962 (Friday)	40 days
Opens	April 30, 1962 (Monday)	
Closes	June 15, 1962 (Friday)	<u>34 days</u>
		183 days

Holidays:

State Teachers' Convention	October 20, 1961
Thanksgiving Recess	November 23 & 24, 1961
Memorial Day	May 30, 1962

School will be dismissed November 22, 1961 at 12:30 P. M.
This is the only time during the year that it will be possible to
close early before a holiday or vacation.

STATISTICAL DATA

	1958-59	1959-60
Number of different pupils enrolled during year	456	462
Average membership	424.1	424.7
Average daily absence	36.6	30.1
Average per cent attendance	387.5	394.6
Number pupils completed grade eight	28	32
Number pupils attending high school	95	89

December, 1960 Enrollment by Grades

EPPING CENTRAL SCHOOL

Grade I	46	Grade V	42
Grade II	49	Grade VI	34
Grade III	33	Grade VII	40
Grade IV	40	Grade VIII	44
Total 328			

EPPING HIGH SCHOOL

Grade IX	31	Grade XI	23
Grade X	24	Grade XII	14
Total 92			

Pupils who completed Grade VIII, June 1960

Bourdon, Regina	Paige, Patricia
Brooks, Alice	Piecuch, Albert
Caraway, Lawrence	Robertson, Donald
Crocker, Mary	Robinson, Donna
Glover, Walter	Rollins, Cheryl
Hamel, Richard	Sanborn, Nathan
Hartford, Wayne	Scagliotti, Ronald
Hill, Charlotte	Stevens, Paul
Illstey, Robert	Sullivan, Linda
Jackson, Kenneth	Sullivan, Paul
Latwen, John	Thibeault, Robert
Lavoie, Beverly	West, David

McGonagle, Anne
Marcotte, Betty
Marcotte, Pamela
Newman, Richard

Whitten, Frank
Gauthier, Frank
Gorrell, Frank
Beveridge, Thomas

Pupils who completed Grade XII, June 1960

Adams, George
Bernier, Jeannette
Brackett, John
Denoncour, Patricia
Emerson, Arnold
Fisher, Donald

Guyette, Jean
Lavoie, Jack
Lavoie, Gerard
Stevens, David
Thorn, Patricia
Twombly, Sandra

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Epping of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

August 8, 1960

R. DEXTER GOODRICH
Auditor

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

There have been many proposals and ideas on how to solve the educational problem on the secondary level for the past few years, but none of these have been given enough support from the community to give your School Board the authority to solve the problem. It is apparent from the interest in the past that you desire better education for your children and are willing to spend to obtain it. The question of tuition or forming a co-operative, or building a school of your own has been discussed and voted and discussed further. However, as of now the "what and how" still has to be decided.

I am very pleased therefore to offer you a new alternative. This alternative will provide a comprehensive program comparable to Exeter or other large schools around us, and at the same time help to offset the high cost per pupil and reduce to a minimum the cost of building a school. The proposal that I have in mind is for Epping to build it's own high school, but instead in the process of building involve yourselves in the high cost of providing shop, science labs and the like, to build and equip a school containing class rooms. How then can we gain our comprehensiveness? It is proposed that we share our services and facilities with Newmarket. As an example, instead of hiring a teacher in each community to teach three to five advanced

math students, we make this a joint venture and hire one teacher to teach all six or ten students in one place. Further, in relation to shop, instead of constructing and equipping an expensive shop for those pupils who will take shop transport them to the program of Newmarket. I am certain that this explanation doesn't begin to answer all the questions that you have relative to this proposal. However, discussions, open hearings and the like will be held in Epping before the annual School District Meeting. I therefore urge you to attend them so that you might understand and then vote intelligently. It is my opinion as your educational leader that this proposal solves the dilemma that has been facing Epping over the years.

In summarizing this proposal it offers the opportunity to maintain your local control, maintain your high school and at the same time provide an individualized, comprehensive program that will better prepare your high school boys and girls for their adult life.

Reference is made again this year to the questions brought to your attention last year in my report to you; mainly the type of education you expect and the type you are willing to support. We still need to reduce class size to 25 or 30. We still need a program of studies. We still need a basic series in our subject series. In addition one of the greatest needs in this Union is still help at the Union level. This is in relation to the position of Superintendent. It is unreasonable to expect anyone to fulfill all the obligations this person should fulfill as Superintendent of Schools and properly care for all the communities that are expected to be cared for in this Union. I feel it necessary to again this year request and emphasize the need for a Helping Teacher.

In looking over our needs listed last year it is noted that some of them have been fulfilled. For example, we are rapidly progressing toward a program of minimum essentials and a program of studies. We have improved our basic series in the subject areas. We have evaluated and made changes and are now using a new report card. We have developed and have only recently put into use a permanent record system that is universal throughout the Union. There is being offered an inservice training program for teachers, insignificant as it is at the present time, we are providing courses to improve teaching ability.

In conclusion I would like to offer to you as parents and citizens a challenge. Let us all search ourselves and others to determine what type of school is most desirable, ask ourselves if our school presently fits these requirements, and if not attempt to create change so that it will.

THAYER D. WADE
Superintendent of Schools

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

To: Mr. Wade, School Board Members, and Citizens of Epping

I am happy to report that for the first time in the history of the schools of our Union we have available the services of a speech therapist. Because Speech Therapy is a young field, this type of therapist is not available to many school systems. Speech defective children are much more numerous than we might suspect, and investigation shows that only one-sixth of them are being given the remedial instruction that they must have if they are to be helped. The response from most parents and from the P. T. A., sponsors of the program, has been enthusiastic. It is my hope that Speech Therapy will become an integral part of the school program.

Because of family responsibilities, our school doctor has had to give up her school connections on a regular basis. In spite of this, she has kindly offered to help with individual needs.

The position of Public Health Nurse no longer exists in this area. This means that preschool clinics will be discontinued unless individuals or groups in the community plan and initiate such action.

Other health services aimed at maintaining and improving the health of school children are being carried on as usual.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSTANCE J. HUSS, R. N.

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY AND TRAVEL FOR YEAR

1961-62

	<u>Salary</u>	<u>Travel Outside Union</u>	<u>Travel Inside Union</u>
Brentwood	\$ 451.50	\$ 25.80	\$ 103.20
Danville	330.75	18.90	75.60
Epping	1,165.50	66.60	266.40
Fremont	467.25	26.70	106.80
Kingston	1,044.75	59.70	238.80
Newmarket	1,485.75	84.90	339.60
Sandown	304.50	17.40	69.60
	\$5,250.00	\$300.00	\$1,200.00



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